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Indonesian

The Netherlands announced today breaking-off of United Nations-sponsored negotiations with the Indonesian Republic and said it plans to proceed with the formation of an interim government for the other areas of

Indonesia. The Dutch had proposed to set up a federal interim republic for all Indonesia by the end of this month. In Batavia, the Indonesia news agency Antara yes-

terday quoted an Indonesian Republican communique warning that the formation of an interim government of

Indonesia without the Republic would result in disaster. The Dutch delegation in Batavia has advised the U.N. Good Offices Committee that further talks with the Republic are useless as the Jogjakarta Government radically alters its viewpoints, a communique stated.—Associated

Not To Meet King Farouk Reds, ECA Chief Says Jericho Talks

No attempts will be made to: contact the Chinese Communen route to Shanghai.

The Marshall Plan administra- El Yom, reported today. tor is on a quick inspection tour missions in England, Chinese problems arising from paper, the present Nationalist-Com-

conference at Kai Tak, while the moned to Adia Palace yesterday visitor awaited a PAA, plane to by the chief of the Royal Cabinet, take him to Shanghai, Mr. Hoff- who gave them King Farouk's man denied a report that the message, addressed to the heads Chinese Reds would be approach-On the question of dismantling

ed by the ECA during his stay. German industries which he dis-ECA "chief, Mr. Thomas "K. Finietter, when he first stopped "such discussions are still under voluntarily", he said,

No Instructions

Before leaving Washington. Mr. Hollman said he conferred with President Harry Truman on the China situation but he received no specific instructions for the whirlwind trip to the Far

After a series of rapid confer-January appearance before the ously adopted." Blst Congress, whose appropria-

Douglas MacArthur. Travelling in the same plane for Shanghai was Dr. Chiang Mong-lift Chairman of the Sino-American Joint Rural Rehabilitation Commission, who, it is understood, will join in the con-

ferences. Dr. Chiang arrived

here last Friday by plane from Canton. Among the officials greeting Mr. Hoffman at Kai Tak vester-"day were ,Mr. G. D. Hopper, American Consul General (Hong Kong), Mr. Fred A. Hill, Vice-Consul, Mr. Q. Roosevelt, Vice-President of CNAC, Mr. O. in Shanghai at present among Hamilton, Acting Director of the China's top-ranking politicians. Civil Airport, and Mr. J. G. well-informed Chinese sources,

ON OTHER PAGES

Manager.

O'Donnel, PAA District Traffic with close Government con-

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Sentence Deferred

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Age 5

Little reliable news has hit. Si Commander-in-chief on the ly, the belief that Mao Tse-tung Maximum: 78.7 deg. Fab. Central China front, as Minister of Defence, Dr. Hu Shih, non-

The Palestine Jigsaw Page 10

London Bribe Inquiry Page 14 Hong Kong and Shanghal-

An Editorial Page 15 Churchill Asks Assurance About Hong Kong, Defence " Madame Chlang Has Sym-

pathetic Hearing

Disowns

Cairo, December 11. ists during his brief China disowned the recent Jericho three Army Groups, totalling visit. Mr. Paul G. Hoffman, conference which was report- [200,000 fighting men, are fighting Economic Co-operation Ad- | ed to have asked King Abministrator, said on his arrival dullah of Transjordan to prohere yesterday from Bangkok, claim himself King of Palestine, the Arabic weekly Akbar

"Egypt does not shed the blood China and Korea. Mr. Hoffman, of her loyal sons to hand the necompanied by his special aide, future of Palestine to those Mr. Samuel D. Richards, will assembled in Jericho", King confer with Mr. Roger D. Lap- Farouk told the heads of the ham, China head of the ECA, at Arab League diplomatic mission Shanghal during his check-up of In Egypt, according to the news-

The heads of missions, except During a brief informal press that of Transfordan, were sum-

cussed with the United Kingdom fore not in a position to take such back and has enlarged its pocket

at London, the American execu- stances which permit them to ex- craft; tive declined to elaborate, saying press their opinion freely and

Threatens Unity

Declaring that the conference resolutions threatened Arab unity, he added: "The Egyptian army l only respondded to the appeal of

"In its efforts to liberate Palesences, with special attention to line, my Government will condata relative to current Chinese tinue to uphold the principles problems in preparation for his which the Arab states unanim-

tions will determine the scope of On December 1, it was report-ECA's second-year operations in ed from Amman that 2,000 Arab of Pengpu. Europe and Asia, Mr. Hoffman delegates to the general Palestine will fly to Seoul, and thence to Congress in Jericho, called on munist regiment was routed in King Abdullah of Transfordan to the battle and 1,000 Communists Mr. Hoffman may see General proclaim himself King of Pales- were captured. The armoured --Reuter.

Shanghal, December 11.

Peace or continued civil war

is the vital issue which is be-

ing fought out behind the scenes

nections, told Reuter today.

The sources revealed that

Premier Sun Fo's protracted ef-

forts to form a new Government

munists for peace talks.

ed victorious.

have been narrowed down to the

Tu's Forces Advance In Effort To Make Juncture

Nanking, December 11. Major General Chang Yu-chin, spokesman of the Pengpu Communist Suppression headquarters, has announced that General Tu Yu-ming's three Army Groups have smashed through the first layer of Communist roadblocks and advanced five miles Southwards to the area between Yungcheng and Suhsien,

according to Central News today. This would leave roughly another 30 miles for General Tu's men to fight through to affect a juncture with Government forces in the South. present, if successfully accomplished, would improve the Nationalist

> In a review of the military situation around Nanking, General Chang said there were now three areas of fighting North of Pengpu. They are:

position tremendously.

1. The flatlands South West King Farouk of Egypt has for Hauchow. Here General Tu's their way Southwards to join up with other Government forces by strong Communist interception South West of Hauchow during the last three

Advance Resumed

But General Tu's Southward advance was resumed yesterday after his men defeated Communist columns General Chang General Tu's mon will link up with the Southern forces short-

Nanpintsi-Suangautit area 20 miles South West of Subsien: Here General Huan King Farouk described the Wei's 12th Army Group, encircled Jericho congress members as re- the last two weeks by four Compresenting a minority and there- munist columns, is now hitting This has permitted the construc-"Neither do they act in circum- | tion of an airstrip for light air-

> 3. The Huai River region General Li Yen-nen's Sixth Army Group advancing Northwards to forces has now reached points son, Chiang Wei-kuo, about 16 miles from the trapped

Nationalists. 30,000 in killed and wounded. Central News reported that a wiped out.

Government armoured

The despatch said one Comunit was personally led by Pre-

China's Behind-The-Scene

Battle For Peace Or War

Chun, leader of the Kuemin.

tang Liberals, are reported,

included in the tentative list

drawn up by Dr. Sun Fo.

JUSMAG To Leave China

Shanghai, December 11. The Joint United States Military Advisory Group -the part of it outside the Navy-today decided to write itself, off as an asset to the Chinese in fighting the civil war and has set up Operation "Double D" under which it will pull out of Nanking and move to Shanghai and then leave Shanghai as conditions warrant.

As of now, December 19 is the date on which it will be alerted to be prepared to leave Nanking and move to Shanghai. That is the first "D" day. The day when it will be alerted to pull out of Shanghal will be the second "D" day.

The United Press learned from official sources that skeletal remains of the old AAG are already set with bag and baggage to leave Nanking to come to Shanghal,-United Press.

the rescue of General Huang's | sident Chiang Kai-shek's second

General Chang claimed the some 20,000 Communists who their flanking movements along Communists, suffered 100,000 infiltrated, to South Pengpu both the Pelping-Sulyuan and high motives when it took up casualties since November 26 and acress the Hungtze Lake. The Pelping-Hankow railways. admitted the Nationalists lost Military News Agency said about | Serious fighting was also re-

West of Kuchen, 30 miles North miles to the North of the South- cheng area to the West of the ern terminal.

strong pressure on President

Kong, and General Chang shek in Washington, was exerting

though not confirmed, to be negotiations with the Reds.

points between Kuoyang and Mengcheng, 50 and 40 miles West and South West of

A reliable source said General Chiu Ching-chuan, Commander of one of three Army Groups under General Tu Yu-ming, has wired President Chiang Kal-shek expressing his confidence of breaking through the Communist in-

He told President Chiang "there is nothing to worry about our position" but asked for more planes, to support his Southwards. .

Cross Railway

Peiping-Kupelkow Railway, head-

lisinpacan and Kangchuang, about 70 kilometres North West Peiping.

Should these columns join! hands above Pelping they Will represent a harassing force in the Hopsi-Chahar border segion immediately to the North of the ancient capital.

Tientsin militia forces engaged the Communists in night long fighting West of Lianghuiang, 35 Meanwhile, Government forces | kilometres South West of Peiping, were said to be mopping up as the Communists continued

half the Communists have been corded at Lianghsuang station. Communist units belonging to unit Another Communist guerilla the so-called Yiman Mountainspearheading General Li's ad- attempt to destroy the Pengpu- Region units, with bases in the vance had recaptured seven Pukow railway line was beaten Taihang Mountains, stretching vance had recaptured seven rukow ranway mile was beaten and the Man- landed at the Military airiteld, are sending reports to their head- against the United States, similar Pelping-Hankow line were said pro-Government reports said to be responsible for bringing the the Army Group commanded hostilities ever closer to Peiping. by General Chang Kam, mar- The Taihang mountains extend ching Eastward from Southern for the entire length of the

Honan to reinforce General Pelping-Hankow railway from Fengial, at the gates of Peiping, down into Honan Province, thereby making the railway extremely vulnerable to sweeps by the Communists, who constitute constant menace.

Rapid thrusts by the Reds are a feature of the situation along coffins were opened and found to the Pelping-Sulyuan line, where be filled with opium. Communist General Nieh Yungcheng's troops above Kangchuang. toms inspectors were arrested by Marshail's mediation efforts among informed political circles, in Southern Chahar, are attempt-, the gendarmes, said the reports, two years ago, General Wu the belief was current that the ing to isplate Kalgan by cutting but were released later after in-Te-Chen, who is believed to United States, through her Am- the railway,-United Press and terrogation proved, they were have close connection with the bassador, Dr. Leighton Stuart in Reuter. Kuomintang Leftists in Hong Nanking and Madame Chiang Kal-

Chiang Kai-shek to reopen and from another over NW China a ridge army officer as the man respon-The alleged United States move extends seroes Japan into the Pacific, sible for the smuggling attempt. is being attributed to three rea- Between these systems a broad trough. The incident occurred at 3 p.m. sons. First, the disappointment extending from a small depression over In this rumoured line-up, over the Nationalist Govern- Kanchatka is moving slowly SE across have been narrowed down to the question whether he should head a War Cabinet or one of a "care- taker" nature, with powers to Chang influence, General Chang tive reforms; secondly, the desound out the Chinese Com- Chun is down as Vice-Premier, sire to avoid involvement in becoming light E. Fair.

General Pai Chung-Hal, Kwang- the Chinese civil war, and third- Yesterday's Weethersthe Premier and the nation's partison scholar and diplomat, It is thought that President Relatable No. Total since Jan.

poll'eal leaders gainered here, as Minister of Education or For- Chiang Kai-shek, under pressure average of 2122,3 mm. 27.44 Inc. as against an but the informant said that the cign Affairs, General Wu Te- from peace elements of home and the cign Affairs, General Wu Tecagerly awaited announcement chen as Minister of the Interior, abroad would agree to renewed to ame. 4 p.m. of a new Cabinet line-up should Chen Li Fu as Finance Minister, approaches to the Communists If Bare, at mal. ...1019.3 1015.5 m.b. provide a clue as to which group and Shao Li-tze as Minister his armies could gain a major— Equals 30.10 30.00 inches not necessarily decisive—success Bel, Humidian 15 75 76 76 Chen Li-fu, Kuonintang in the present battle for Nan- De Point 4 des. 7.

victorious.

Rightist lender, who recently king, a development which would wind Direction... & WNW.

It is algorificant, however, returned from a prolonged trip restore much of the face he lost Tides. chang Chihychung and shap ing for continued struggle isls with a bargaining point.

Litts, both of whom parti- against the Communists.

Reufer.

tangchien. They were wounded during the Nationalist offensive outside Erchenchi, South East of Hsuchow.-AP Photo. Workmen In

Wounded Nationalist

soldiers arrive on stretch-

ers in the village of Pen-

Fight At Cha kwo-leng

Some 200 workmen employed by the China Construction Company at Cha Kwo-leng Amidst a relative full, following | engaged in a regular battle a week of intensive operations royal for more than an hour along all roads leading to Pet- shortly after 4 p.m. yesterday, ping, General Lin Piuo's forces in the course of which more four seriously.

They are believed attempting to link up with General Nich gency unit who arrived fully Yung-cheng's troops thrusting at Countries on the arrival of the police emerated fully Herald" understands.

Committee, denounced the proposal of sending American at Harbin, the "Sunday In the "Far Eastern Bulletin". equipped with tear gas bombs of and other paraphernalia for dealing with a full-scale riot.

were -detained- in .. Kowloon .. Hospital. Two men were arrested. quarrel over water among Chluchow and Punti rival

At first only about 20 men were involved, but reinforcements summoned by both sides soon had the elsewhere is a result of the Comnumber swollen to 200.

Opium Found

tice, a military plane from Kun- China have arrived safely, the incite antagonistic sentiments ming appeared over Canton, "Sunday Herald" was told, and and acts by all the Chalese people and unloaded two comms-full of quarters in Hong Kong regularly, to those against the Japanese."

According to vernacular Press reports, personnel on the military lane told Customs inspectors that the coffins contained the remains of high army officials.

As a result, the coffins were allowed to be placed on a truck and driven away. The Truck, however, was stopped on the way nut by gendarmes who insisted on having the coffins opened for inspection_ Following a long argument, the

The plane's personnel and Cus-

The reports added that Dr. T.V. Soong, Governor of Kwangtung, has cabled a detailed report to At 0600 amr (2,00 p.m. HKST) a the Central Government on the moderate anti-cyclone centred E of Daikal incident and has normed a high

KING GEORGE'S ACCESSION DAY

London, December 11. King George VI entered the 18th year of his reign today in poor health. He fulfilled Royal functions from his bed.

The King's troop was summoned to fire a 41-gun salute in Hyde Park at noon to mark the anniversary of King George's accession .. to the /throne "after ! the abdication of his brother, King Edward VIII, Buckingham, Paloce said the

Royal Family would not celebrate. The 52-year-pld King is being treated for a circulatory allmont. -Associated Pressy

More Chinese Political Leaders Leave HK For N. China Meeting

Several more Chinese political leaders, including Mr. Kuo Mu-ju, well known novelist and writer, have left Hong Kong to take part in "coalition government" conferences in North China.

The "Sunday Herald" learned from a reliable source last night that more than 10 leaders of different political parties exiled in the Colony, are on their way to join the others who left in September.

Preliminary conferences, pre- | In Hong Kong yesterday, Marioday, it is reported, crossed the than 30 of them were injured, paring for the proposed multi- shal Li Chai-sum, Chairman of party Political Consultative the Kuomintang Revolutionary

ference is expected to be con- parties in the Colony, Marshal Li vened in a Chinese city, captured said: "We, the democratic The four seriously injured from the Chinese Central Govern- parties and groups of China, re-

ment,-early-next-year.---The trouble started with a new constitution for China and United States Government which the the formation of a coalition gov- in the name of protecting Amerifac- .errment.

The assembling at Harbin of fringement

coalition government Sending Reports

Without the usual advance no- left in September for North the attempt which is bound to

The Political Consultative Con- mouthplece of the several exiled The Conference will discuss a of animosity on the part of the can nationals constitutes an inleaders of exiled Chinese politi- sovereign rights and an interven-

cal parties from Hong Kong and tion in China's domestic politics." He added: "To uphold China's munist Party's last May Day sovereignly and territorial inbroadcast suggesting the colling tegrity as well as the cause of of a Political Consultative Cot - co-operation between the Chinese ference for the formation of a and American peoples on equal hasis, we, from the solemn standpoint of the Chinese people, hereby call on the United States. All the Chinese delegates who authorities to immediately halt

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Among the arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday were Mrs. F. Singian, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Croft, Mrs. F. G. Bond, Mrs. Rolls, Mrs. Wakelin Mrs. D. Akroyd, Mrs. Sykes. Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. J. Unwin, Mrs. W. Class, Messrs. P. Labceff. A. Bader, G. Warsmouth, J. Olive and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Heakin.

Mr. P. W. Parker, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company, necompanied by Mrs. Parker arrived in Hong Kong yesterday by Pan-American World Airways. Mr. Parker is on a world inspection of his company's in-stallations. He will remain here for three days and then fly to

GOVERNMENT

Government has rejected Hong Kong's Chinese women civit gervants' petition for equal wages and treatment. Association which forwarded the petition on behalf of its women members, received a reply from the Colonial Secre-

ary during the week. The reply said that the question of equal wages connot be

considered by Government,
The petition, demanding the
same salaries paid to men doing the same type of work, was sent to the Colonial Secretary in Sep-

About 30 women civil servants signed the petition which contended that there is no reason why a woman should not be onld the same wage a man gets for doing the same kind of work in Government departments. Chinese women in Govern-ment service are mostly doctors teachers, nurses, typists, clerk

interprétera and Labour Inspec-

LAUNDRY CO. WINS JUDGMENT

Additional Judge), awarded judgment in favour of The Nathan Steam Laundry of 235 Nathan Paulle of the Revenue Depurt-

Mr. Justice Wicks did not they had not been co-operative in the matter.

Mr. Paulie, as plaintiff, con-centre, will be their base, ducted his own case. The Nathan Steam Laundry, defendants, were

EUROPEAN "Y" XMAS FAIR

represented by Mr. K.F. Wong.

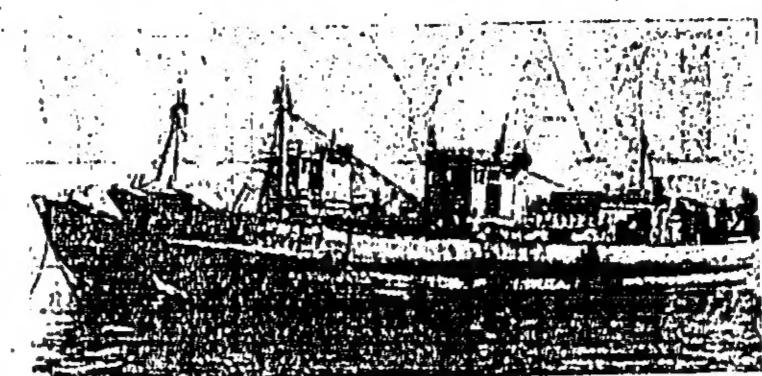
The European YMCA Christ-mas Fair, held at the West Ldunge of the YMCA, was opened by Mrs. P. S. Cassidy at 2.30 p.m.

The Fair was well attended and included such attractions as a Gypsy Tent, a Santa Claus Grotto, where children had the privilege of obtaining a Christmas gift for a small consideration, and a Tea cession Day. and Ice Cream Parlour. Dolls, cradles, linen and home the 21-gun National Salute.

produce were on sale. Half of the proceeds of the Fair will go to the Fanling bedecked again when they observe the birthday of King George VI. They will fire the usual-salute.

SPIRITHOSE MUSCULAR

Korean Trawlers



Two Korean fishing trawlers (above) liave arrived in Hong Kong to make the Colony their base of operations. Named the Fn Tze I and Fu Tze II, the trawlers each have a capacity of between 20,000 and 30,000 cattles of fish. The 80-ton vessels have a draught of seven feet and are 80 feet long and 10 feet wide. They can operate out at sea for two weeks without refuelling and restocking of food supplies. In addition to a master and an engineer; each vessel carries 10 erew. This is their first visit to South China waters .- Photo by W. Y. Tang.

Filipino Evacuees Due In Colony From Shanghai Today

The first batch of Filipino evacuoes from North China will arrive here today by the Philippine motorship Leneverett en route to Manila.

Totalling 73, the evacuees will be permitted to land here during their one-day stay, but must return to the vessel for accommodation at night, it was reliably learned.

including 830 Asiatic deck passen-

children, from the Straits, lenves

today for Swatow and Amoy with

The 2.140-ton vessel carries no

steal fuel oil.

of the launch, said to be the

Wong Kan, Ho Yau and Lat

Mak Lam, and Ko Kwai.

greasers, were sent down for

Chan King-lai, 20-year-old cook,

said to be employed by the

crew of the laurich, were given

Man Ngau, aged 17, and Ylp Shiu-yau, aged 26, fokis of the

sentenced to three months' hard'

18-year-old ship's boy,

one month each.

labour each.

cargo for the North.

consular officials from the Despite the chaotic conditions and treatment.

The Chinese Civil Servants Philippine Consulate in Hong Association which forwarded he petition on behalf of its Baja, wife of the Consul, will Swatow and Amoy. visit the arrivals on board the Vesterday alone, Hong Kong had more than 1.200 Chinese re-Everett ship.

The evacuees, mostly musicians turnees from French Indo-China, from Shanghai, Nanking and the East Indies and the Straits. Tientsin, are taking home their The British steamer Sangola families and entire belongings af- brought about 1,000 passengers, ter years of residence in China. Most have been thrown out of gers. She is due to leave today employment by the Nationalist for Kobe via Amoy with about Government's austerity measures against public dancing, the "Sun-day Herald" was informed by

Filipino evacuees may land here while awaiting the loading and unloading of their respective vessels bringing them here. This is gers, including 76 women and 50 the first concession procured by the Philippine Consul, and arcangements regarding accommo-dation have yet to be discussed with the local authorities, it was

Evneuees who do not possess visas should be properly docu-mented as "evacuess" or identifled by the Hong Kong Consulate

Ten deep-sea fishing junks ar-rived here from Amoy and have registered with the Marine De-partment to use Hong Kong as At the Supreme Court yester-day, Mr. Justice Wicks (Acting partment to use Hong Kong as the base for their fishing operations in Southern waters,

Their tonnage ranging from 700 Steam Laundry of 235 Nathan to 1,000 piculs, these vessels ar-Road, Kowloon, who were sued rived with 10 families aboard, for \$765 by Mr. David Anthony, from grandson to grandfather. All Fuklenese, these fishermen use lines and hand-operated nets. They left yesterday for deep

dry any costs, as he held that reported, good weather prevails. The fishing junks arrived without bringing fish. Each junk can All The claim was the outcome of accommodate more than 500 damage caused to two suits be- piculs of fish. They have facilities longing to ldr. Paulie which been to preserve their catch by ice. sent to be dry cleaned. Aberdeen, the Colony's fishing

> . A "ghost" craft was towed into local waters yesterday by the

She is the former United States | Cheung Sai-lo, aged 51, and Ng of cliecking (7:30 a.m.) was only Navy transport Comet, which at- Kwok-hing, aged 37, engineers about 430 gallons.

Note the former United States | Cheung Sai-lo, aged 51, and Ng of cliecking (7:30 a.m.) was only about 430 gallons.

two other ring-leaders, receiv-The 3,000-ton craft will under-go overhauling and surveying for a British loading certificate. two other ring-leader ed six months each. Wong Kan, Ho Yau The Sea Ofter left for Shanghal Yiu-man, seamen, and Tam Fan, yesterday in ballast.

fils Majesty's ships, London three month; Chan Kam-shul, and Alacrity, and the visiting 18-year-old ship's boy, and American aircraft carrier Tarawa

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Foe H Club, Classical Concert of Music, Talbot Recorded House, 50, MacDonnell Road, 8.45 p.m. Inter-School annual sports, final

events. Caroline Hill. H.K. Art Club sketching class, New Territories, members assemble at Kowloon Star Ferry, 10.30 a.m.

At Frenco Fete" in aid of Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. a.m. to 7 p.m.

Enough?" by Mr. P.I. Addison, European YMCA, 8.30

High Mass at 9 a.m.; Solema Benediction at 3,30 p.m.; Reception at 4 p.m.; Entertainment at School Hall, 5,30

7.30 p.m.

Coming Events

H.K. Social Welfare Council, Lecture Room, 5.15 p.m. Eastern Asia Navigation Co.,

glying, at King George V School, 5.30 p.m.

H.K. Rotary Club luncheon, talk on "The Police Service" by Police Commissioner, D. W. MacIntosh, Roof Garden,

H.K. Hotel, 12.30 p.m. WEONESDAY

Toe H Club meeting at Talbet

House, 50, Macdonnell Road,

Exhibition of Paintings by Yee Bon, Lee Bying and Luis Chan, Hotel Cecil, 10 u.m. THURSDAY

Peninsula Hotel, 12.30 p.m. Y's Men's Club of Hong Kong. Hotel, 12.45 p.m.

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nearly four months resulted in the arrest of

14 men on December 10, and their being

charged before Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kow-

loon yesterday on the charge of conspiring to

accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and were

sentenced to prison terms ranging from nine

Investigations conducted by Detective Sub-Inspac-

Today

Mary's School compound, 11 Talk on "Does a Christian Fight

Centenary of French Convent,

Concert by Harmonica Group, Chinese YMCA, Bridges' St.,

TOMORROW Centenary of French Convent. Entertainment in Convent Hall, 5.30 p.m. TUESDAY

annual general meeting, PRO

Lid, annual general meeting. King's Bidg., 11 a.m. Kowloon Junior School, prize

H.K. Football Association Council meeting, Prince's Bldg., 5.15

Kowloon Rotary Club luncheon,

500 passengers, including 435 meeting at Roof Gardon, H.K. The 5,053-ton vessel brought the Singapore Table Tennis team here. Tho ss. Hong Slang, which brought 501 Asiatic deck passen-

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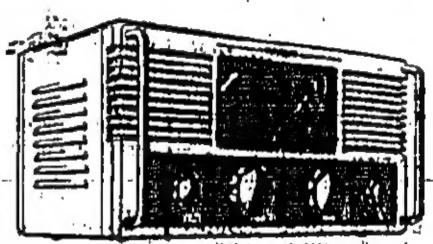
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said that the DSI Moore of the Aslatic Petroleum Co. Ltd. his, since the initer part of August, been suspicious that large quantities of fuel oil were being stolen and sold to other people. Inand representatives of the

Vestigations were started, and a watch hept, by the police.

At 6.30 a.m. on December 10, DSI Moore, two Chinese detec-APC boarded a walla-walla and while cruising around sighted the Inunch Tsing Shan which, instead of making for Talkok-taul, went around a large ship and then went off in a Westerly Tied To Junk

The motorboat followed the launch, and those on board sirw the Tring Shan tying up to another faunch which, in turn, wor tled up to an empty Junk. After in walt of h few inhutes, the motorhoat wint alorigoide the Auc lainch On teand the lainch the roller found that the other crass was pairs, had three 45 gullon driving on board and The two lauriches were taken

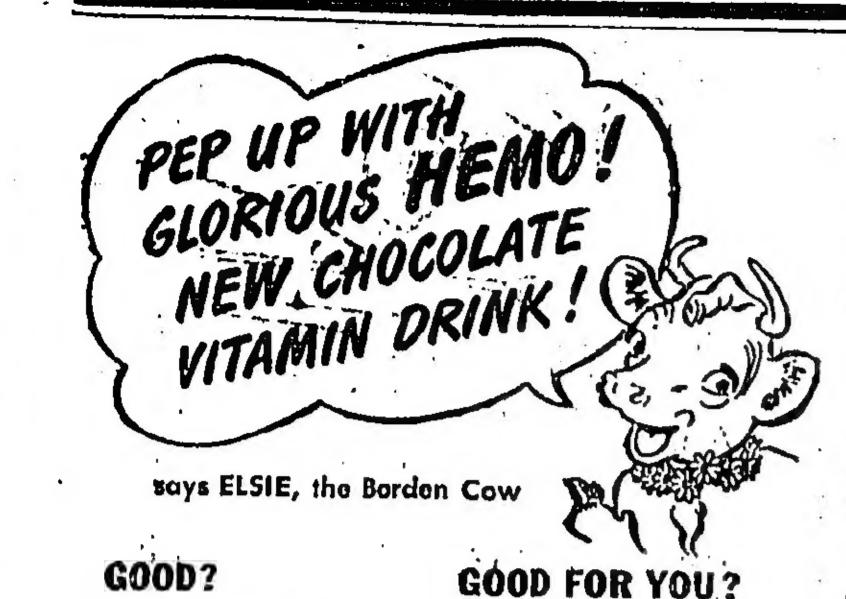
months to one month, with hard labour. Cheng Lam, aged 43, cox-check of the fuel on board the swain- of the APC launch Tsing Shan was made by Mr. Tsing Shan, stated to be one Jenner of the APC. It was ocean-going tug, Sea Otter, from of the ring-leaders of the gang, found that, whereas it had 600 Shanghal was given nine months; at 0 a.m., the amount at the time

DSI Moore explained that the method employed was to transfer the oil from the fuel tank to the bilges, and then pumped out of the bilges on to drums by the engine room pumps.

"A very ingenious iden," commented the magistrate. The prosecution officer said that there was no doubt that the first three accused were the ring-leaders and that it could be assumed that they had been stealing oil on previous occa-sions. If the police had turned launch Yau Song, were, with the up a little later, he said, they coxawain, 32-year-old Chui Mok, would have seen the oll being transferred.

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Hemo

Miss Evelyn Chan, well Pringle, Alexander Haindrava, they pleaded guilty to the known Chinese cinema star, was charged before Mr. W. H. Joseph Latimer at Kowloon yesterday Kenneth William Johnstone and Inspector J. Orem informed with dangerous and careless William Slade Bungey, at Bridge the court that two women, who driving, in a position not to House. have proper control of the car

Six Months'

Sentence

to Lai Kwong, aged 17, unem-

fore Mr. F. X. d'Almada at

Central yesterday with larceny

According to Inspector II.

Moran, defendant was alleged to

have approached Miss Poon Sau-

to in Wyndham Street, near the

Dairy Farm, and forcibly snatch-

The handbag with the contents

When the alarm was raised,

PC 2559 and Detective PC 21,

who happened to be in the

very short time had defendant

vicinity, gave chase and in a

from the person.

ed her handbag.

in custody.

retrieved.

vas valued at \$60.

private car No. 2987 at the june- responsible for all the tortures tion, on Friday, that the two tion of Waterloo Road and brutalities mentioned in the women were arrested by Inspec-Nothan Road with the licence affidavits read in Court. There for Baldwin and Detectivehaving expired on June 30, 1948, were also Nakatani and Suzuki. Corporal 538 at the alley be-Upon the application of Sub-Inspector Richard Brown, the remanded for 48 hours. Ball in the sum of \$1,000 was offered.

Exhibit

Mr. K. K. Lim, of Amoy, and Mr. Arthur Lindsay of Melbourne, are to hold a joint exhibition of oil and water colour paintings in St. John's Thursday submitted his plea in held at the YMCA in Bridges Symphony in D minor-Cesar Hall, Garden Road. The Bri- willgation for Yokohata, inform- Street at 7.30 p.m. today. tish Council representative, Mr. ed the Court yesterday that the show at 12,30 p.m. on Monday, [identify Yokohata as being the Kong's leading artists before his ministering the tortures. departure for Amoy in 1940. In 1938 and 1939 he held very suc- ing part in the tortures mentionecssful exhibitions, which will ed in the charge, but he was not doubtless be remembered by the sole person concerned. There many of Hong Kong's old re- were also Nakatani, Suzuki, sidents, Lim's slade training and Yokomizo and Tomura. Circumhis individual style have made stances did not permit of these

evitably interesting. work figures prominently among how far accused was personally that of the younger Australian concerned in these tortures, -as netists. He was a pupil of the distinct from the case if he was late Rupert Bunny, famous in solely involved. France during the between war | He also drew attention to the years-and long before that fact that Yokohata was for the charm and decurativeness | Shanghai from September 1 of his work. Mr. Lindsay November 30, whereas: carries on much of that tradition, affidavits related to periods be-The exhibition will remain youd the dates mentioned. open from December 13 to

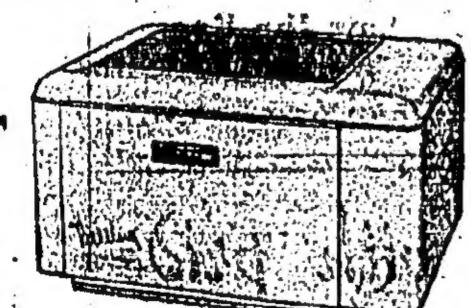
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Guilty By Court; Six months' imprisonment Sentence Deferred and six strokes of the cane, was the punishment meted out

ployed, who was charged be- Sorgeant Major Yokohata Toshiro, former member of the Shanghai District Kompeitai, was found guilty by the War Crimes Court at Lyamun Barracks yesterday, but sontance was deferred pending submission by the defence of documents from Japan as to character.

Court's decision was reached after 20 minutes' retirement, following the hearing of closing addresses by the Prosecutor and Defence Counsel

Bound Over

On Charges

were remanded on Eriday to be

"It took the combined efforts

For Year

The case first came up for hearing on Thursday when Yokohata pleaded guilty, but the Court refused to accept his Before he was apprehended, plea and ordered the trial to

defendant was seen to throw continue. eway the handbag, which was Yokohata, formerly attached to the legal rection of the Shanghai Kempeitsi, charged with committing a war crime in that he at Shanghai be- Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon Inema Star tween September 1 and Novem- yesterday, Wong Shut-ching, the ill-treatment of civilian re- aged 28, were bound over in he Gentle Lark (Bishop). sidents of Shanghai and in pur-ticular of Henry Forsythe the sum of \$50 for a year when

> Ernest Le Roy Healey, Morris charges of loltering, disorderly Soulevitch, Boris S. | conduct, and resisting arrest, Frank, Rev. W. H. Hudspeth. on December 9.

Major Clague, the Prosecutor, finger-printed and for the proand driving un unlicenced in his address to the Court, said duction of their records, had no the prosecution did not allege criminal records. She was alleged to be driving that Yokohata was 'personally It was stated by the prosecu-At Court yesterday she plead- but he submitted that Yokohata tween the fire station and the guilty to all charges, was responsible for the activities revenue officers' quarters at 8.55 of these two men.

p.m. on December 9. Yokohata had pleaded that he On the way to the Tsimtsatsul prosecuting officer, the case was was merely acting under orders. Police Station they gave the pobut the prosecution submitted lice officers a lot of trouble, and, that such orders were vague, and in the charge room, refused to he need not have interpreted be finger-printed and searched those orders with a brutal and They used very abusive and obrelentless force which resulted in seene language and shouted the great suffering to his victims. whole time.

Repented Of Action

hata had repented of his brutal the two women for them to be actions was accepted by the pro- searched by the female searcher.

Mr. Kakahi Masao, defence Robert Bruce, will open the amdavits did not specifically Mr. Lim was one of Hong person solely responsible for ad-

Accused had confessed to takhim an artist whose work is in- people being brought up for trial, said defence counsel, and Mr. Lindsay is a painter whose it was for the Court to consider

Accused Gets Gold Returned

When Ngan Ching-kuen alias T. C. Yen, 42-year-old married supplied by the junk people, the Opening at HK\$293.25 a tack it woman of 642 Nathan Road, police boarded the ms. Castle-climbed to \$298, and closed at second floor, was charged before Mr. W. H.; Latimer at porting six taels of gold, Mr. J. C. Stewart successful applied

In making the application, Mr. the Director of Marine did not Plastres went down to HK\$8.80 1 Stewart said that the gold brace- receive, the manifest containing a 100 after opening at \$8.67 1/2, but 1 lets were's given to the se the chemical until 10.55 a.m. closed firmer at \$8.471/2. cused by her husband on her that morning (December 9) af- Ticals were again unchanged at 31st i birthdays, 31-11 in ler the cargo had been unloaded HK\$25.60 a 100.

square pieces were allowed to be The summonses, taken out un- Sterling was unchanged at taken out of Nanking by air. der sections 3 and B of Ordin- HK\$14.65, but Australian pounds 1 She concealed them as a pre- ance 1 of 1873, alleged failure went up to HK\$12.60. Revenue Inspector D. H. Knox told the court of that the two bangles were not il years' old, Furthermore, he said, the bracelets, weighing about 1.8 taels each, had been straightened out and inserted into a specially-made cloth band used as a

. The beach directed that the two gold bracelets be returned to accused, and ordered the con-fiscation of the two gold, coins and two gold bars

EXCESS G.Y.

On Friday at the Kowlooti Railway Station's shop assistant, Yip Din-hou, was searched by Revenue Officers and GY14,980 was found on him in excuse of the amount permitted for exportable for exportable to answer the charge yesterday, his bail of \$5, was othered to be estroated by Mr. W. H. The excess gold year was con-Reventio Inspector D. H., Knox

Orchestral Concert

tre as already announced.

known singers are contributing vocal soles and duets, as follows: Gaston D'Aquino Addio atla madre, from "Cavalicria Rusticana" (Mascagni). John Cheung (baritone): O del

Brought on remand before Quando miro (Mozart)... Sylvin Choy (soprano): her 30, 1942, was concerned in aged 31, and Yuen Shau-chan, [Alleluja (Mozart) and Lo hear Gaston D'Aquino and John Cheung: Solenne in quest'orn. from "Forza del Destino" (Verdi) and O. Mimi, tu plu non torni, from "La Boheme" (Pucciol). Jeanette Ho (soprano) and Y. Y. Leung (tenor); Duets from

> tion of Christ," and as Amina in Bellini's "La Sounambula". ven) and the Prelude to Act 1

rofessor Elisio Gunidi,

A concert of recorded music will be presented by the Reverend of. Inspector Baldwin, Sub-In- | Mr. R. Thornley, Royal Navy, at spector Dow, and Detective Talont House (Toc II), 50, Mac-The defence's plea that Yoko- Sub-Inspector Summers to hold donnell food, at 8.45 p.m. loday. The programme includes Overture "The Silken Ladder"-Rossini; "Walk to the Paradiso A concert by the Chinese Garden"-Delius; Concerto in G counsel, who had already on YMCA Harmonica Group will be minor, No. 1-Bruch; and

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As this is the first case of its kind, and as your ship has already been delayed, I am going to impose the nominal fine of \$500. I will deal with future cases much more severely," said Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday.

Castleville, on two summonses in respect of the carriage, and discharge, of dangerous goods, and failure to furnish the December 8 and 6 a.m. the foi-Director of Marine with a true lowing day, without a written copy of the manifest of such permit. dangerous goods, on December

Sub-Inspector L. G. Nippard intercepted on the evening of Money December 8 they were found to be carrying drums of potassium

As the result of information any level for the whole week. ville, anchored at the Dangerous 1214 cents lower. Goods Anchorage, and found U.S. dollars were unchanged which she was unloading.

ing day, when it was found that mittances at 91/4 cents. Mr. Stewart said that the two he Kowloon wharves. NEI Guilders were quoted at

Before the court was Petter to give notice of dangerous goods Haraldsen, master of the ms. In board when the ship was

Gold took the upgrade yesterlay after remaining at a station-

that she had, among her cargo, from the previous day at HK\$5.03. 1 Kowloon yesterday with im- 59 tons of potassium chlorate, Gold Yuan for spot delivery in the in-Hong Kong was higher at 12.4 HAMPER NO. 3. A check-up was made at the cents. Canton remittances were for the return of two gold Marine Department the follow- at 9.475 cents and Shanghal re-

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The Concert, which is under he distinguished patronage of H.E. the Governor and Lady Granthace, is being given by the Hong Kong Chornl Group in 'ald of the Home for the Aged. The orchestra is made up of members of the Hong Kong Light Orchestra, The Hong Kong Orchestral Group and the Sino-British Club Orchestra.

Several of the Colony's wellmio amuto ben (Donaudy) and

La Traviata" (Verdi), Jeanette Ho will be the soloist in a Chinese piece called "Cheu Kwan Yuen", which has been irranged for the orchestra by Prof. Gualdi, Miss Ho has taken part in several concerts in Macao. and sang in Perost's "Resurrec-The orchestra will play the Overture to "Egmont" (Bertho-

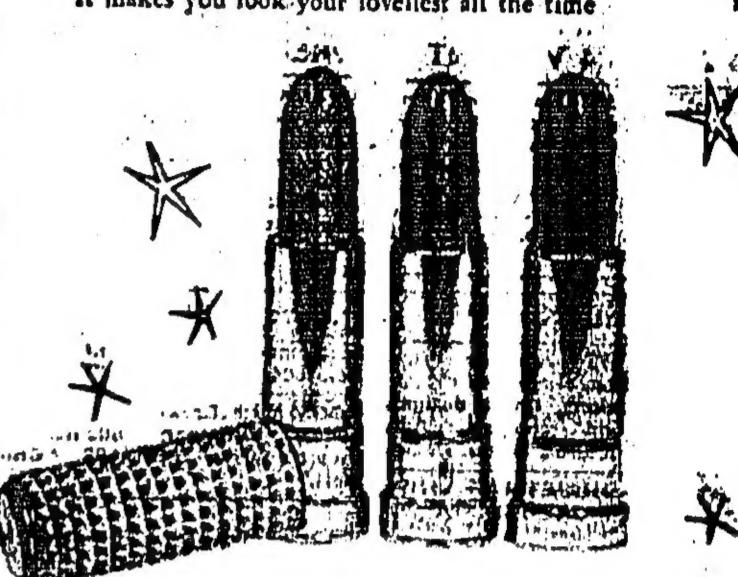
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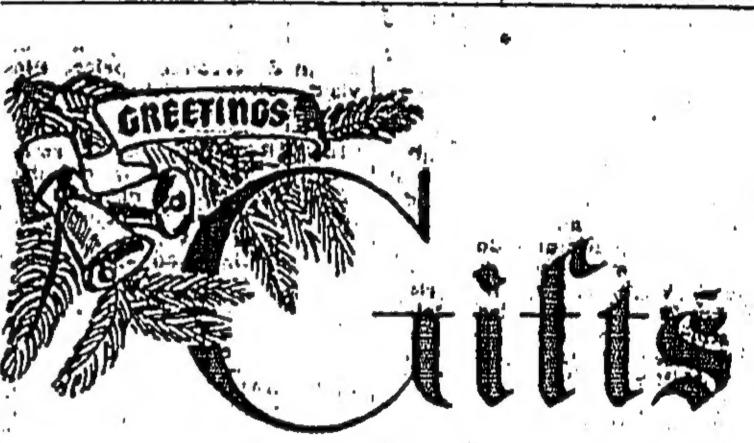
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December 11, 1948.

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Members are reminded that Clinic held last Saturday yieldthe St. George's Ball is being ed HK\$7,023. held at the Pehinsula Hotel on Friday, 7th January, 1949. Any Member who has not received a notice of the Ball due to the generous response should apply to the Secretaries. by Mr. Choa Chow Chama

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K.C.C., NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

Members of the Kowloon Cricket Club are reminded that the annual New Year's Eve Dance will be held in the clubhouse on Friday, December 31, starting at 9 p.m.

The booking list is now open at the clubhouse, and as it is necessary to restrict admission to 400, members are strongly advised to book their parties as soon as possible.

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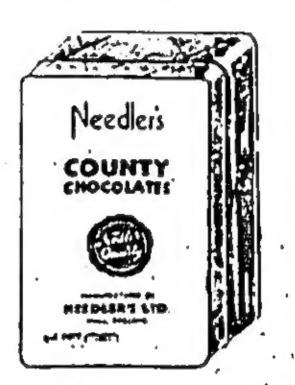
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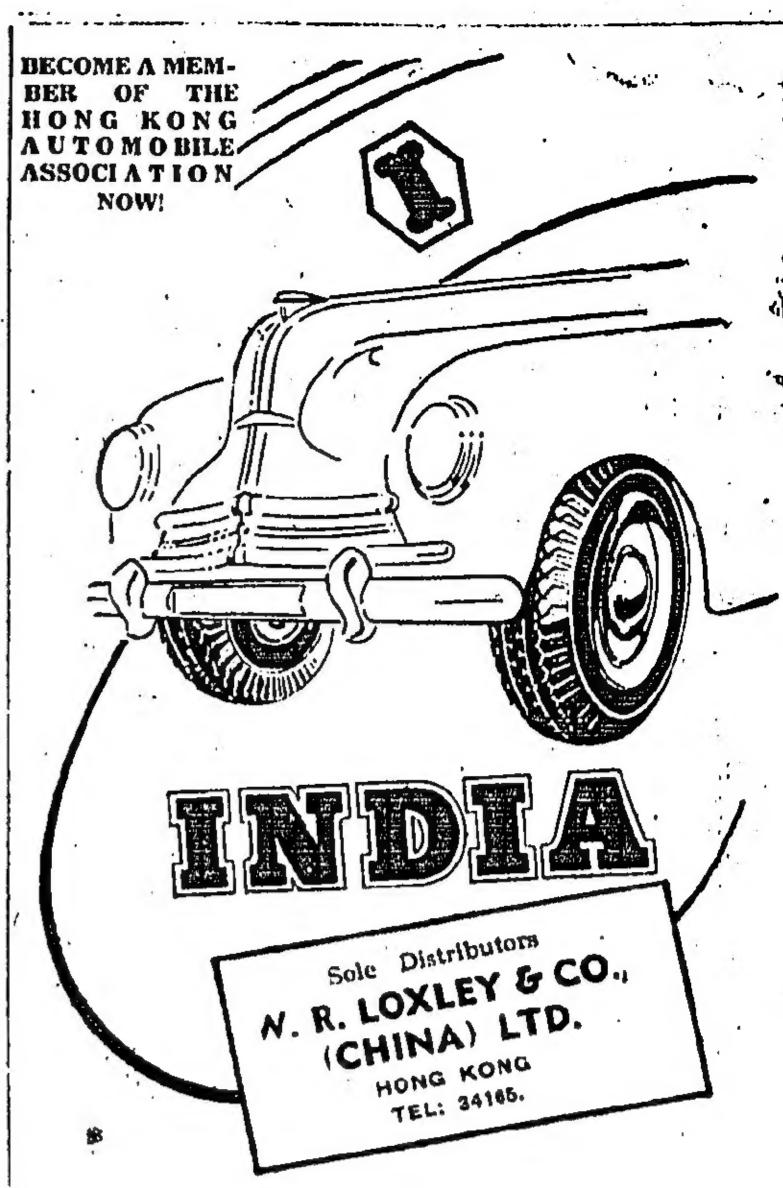
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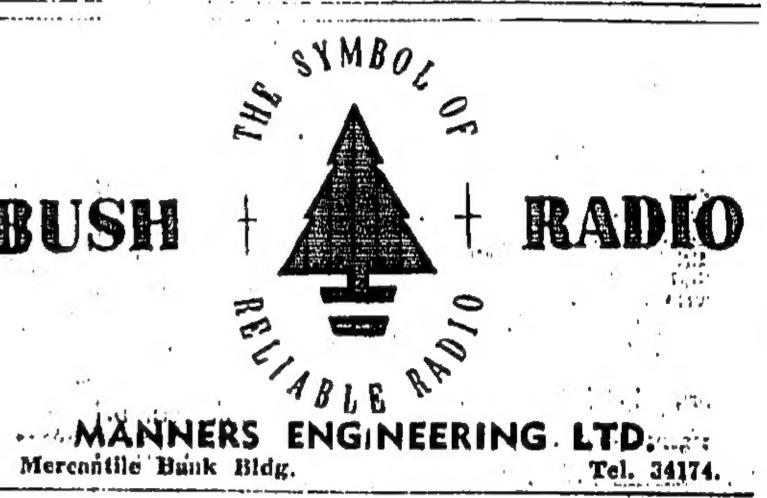
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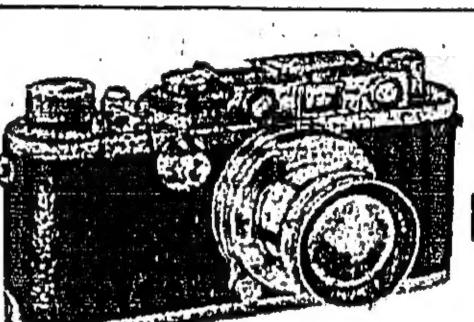
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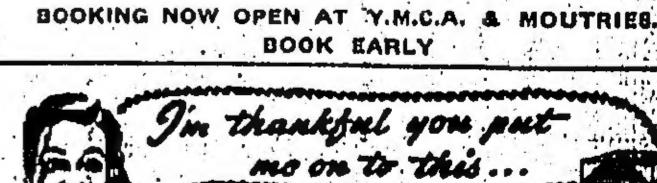
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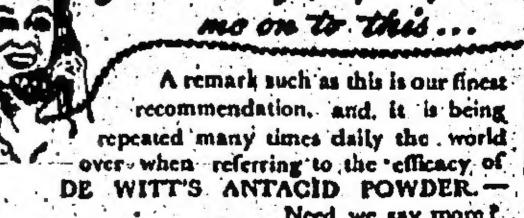
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You could get the idea from taken—that the twin-jet bomber lead in turbo-jet development, Foreign Under-Secretary Lord ordered in 1945 may have recent-henderson's House of Lords by made its test flight or be on velopment of jet bombers. speech on the RAF that British the point of doing so, jet bombers are just round the

long-range, jet-propelled bombing unfortunate that Lord Henderson would take to get into full-scale planes are in squadron' service should speak of production lines squardron service long-range jet with the RAF in noy numbers and long-range hombers in the bombers designed, built, and testunless the present rate of deve- same breath. lopment is immediately speeded

What They Said

There has been no worth-while official statement on jet-homber production in Britain since September 1947. At that date the Ministry of Supply announced ters the jet bomber position is far

A twin-jet, 600-m.p.h. medium bomber was ordered in

A four-jet, 600-m.p.h. heavy bomber of longer range was ordered in November 1946.

(3) Demands by the Air Staff for humbers of even higher speeds and "cellings" and for longer ranges would probably involve the use of wings of unor-thodox shape.

such bombers.

When Lord Henderson airily says that "a production line of at least one type of jet bomber is now being laid down," it simply means—unless I am much mis-

In fact, it will be years before | youd the design stage, and it is | war during the 16 years

In the opinion of many people of sound judgment in these mat-

By Courtenay Edwards Air Correspondent

from satisfactory.

expect to find a sense of urgency travels. behind our jet-bomber produc-

I believe Britain's jet-bomber policy is on the right lines, but that development of these high-speed, stratospheric war planes potential carriers of atom bombs over long distances—should be speeded up and given the highest priority.

(4) Contracts would probably be placed "very shortly" for two tion: What to do about bombers of the future?

They chose the latter course, It is unlikely that the four-jet, thinking -not unnaturally-that longer-range bumbers are yet be- there was not likely to be another ed under leisurely peace-time

> The design teams working on the new Jet Age bombers are faced with problems which did not arise when they created the last generation of British pistonengined bombers.

Chief among these are pressurisation, to enable the crews to work efficiently in the stratophere; and compressibility elfects, which greatly accentuate In the present troubled inter- the problem of drag at speeds national atmosphere you would close to that at which sound

Wonder Wings

That is why the Ministry of Supply hints that our new fourjet bombers may have wings of strange shape-to reduce and postpone these compressibility the Finance Commission of the

Much research is involved in the development of these jet warned by the Prime Minister, bombers—which, when they are M. Henri Queuille, that his Govready to fly, will be unsurpassed ernment could not accept the anywhere—but they may not be financial consequences if the in squadron service for seven or Commission rejected the proeight years if work on them is posals.

THE JEWS HAVE MILITARILY WON THEIR WAR AND NOW DIFFERENT THINGS FROM WHAT THEY WERE

FORMERLY READY TO ACCEPT

THE PALESTINE The holy city of Jerusalem—battle scarred, plundered, half deserted, and economically ruin-

ed--is about to enter a new phase of its turbulent history.

The theoretical position is this:

UNO, when it decided originally on partition, decided also on turning Jerusalem into an international city. The Jews, except for the diehard extremists. secepted the idea as just and appropriate.

This scheme was retained in the THEAV Bernadolte proposals-to which UNO has also agreed in principle and which further included an exchange of Western Galilee for the Negev (the great triangle of desert in Southern Palestine) and the merging of Arab Palestine with the neighbouring kingdom of Transfordan,

But today the actual position weger prove disastrous.

Victory And Right

The Jews have militarily won their war. And now in their moment of victory they desire very different things from what UNO has agreed to and what they themselves formerly accept-

They oppose the idea of Arab Palestine going to Transjordan because they clearly prefer to to have as their neighbour, a small, poor, unworkable State which they could ultimately conquer and absorb.

whole of Jerusalem except the limits. Old City,

the mere fact of the Jewish vie- not. The latter do not realise tories make what was right a that the Old City-which the There is no doubt that this can

for the Jews' claim to the Negev. walled town covering only 215 merely in the Arab world—which In the first place, they already acres (Hyde Park is 390). Most will preclude the possibility of dominate it militarily. In the of the streets are built as stair- any satisfactory peace and might

This desert can never be rich -unless the prospectors discover great mineral deposits underground. But the Jews, by hook or by crook, will get water into it and make it habitable.

In the hands of the Arabs its possibilities will never be explotted. It will continue to be the almost uncultivated waste land which it has been since Roman times.

French Budget

Paris, December 10. The Government's proposals for simplifying next year's budget procedure were accepted by French Assembly yesterday.

The commission had been

He insisted on modifying the If a new sense of urgency is procedure to enable their . 1949 imparted to the task, they could budget to be balanced before the end of this year,-Reuter.

BY RICHARD GRAVES

Was Mayor Of Jerusalem

to insist on an international supervision. They demand both East and Jerusalem big enough to include West Gallilee as well as the Bethlehem, which lies a few

The urgent question is: Shall Jerusalem, but most people have vices,

A Museum Piece

healthler than the majority of realised, has come to stay,

Oriental towns built on this pat-tern, but it could never be described as a health resort. Of course, the Old City is a museum piece which, in the in-

terests of the Holy Places it con-

tains, must be preserved with its

antique inconveniences. But it is not a suitable centre for any Administration. The New City covers . many times as much space, and not less than half that space has been

Bakaa, Kataman, Abu Tor, the German and Greek colonies, and Talbiych are essentially Arab, though they have lately been occupied, and in many cases plundered, by the Jews. To hand over the whole of the New City

to Israel would be an absolute

denial of justice.

hitherto occupied by non-Jewish

The 60,000 Arab residents who live outside the walls are comparable in civilisation and culture with their Jewish fellowcitizens. To drive them from the homes they love, or to force them to acquiesce in subjection to an unsympathetic. Socialist State he Englishman Who with a strong terrorist Lett Wing, would be a grave injustice.

Joint Control

The whole of Jerusalem, with its outlying villages and the town of Bethlehem, should be jointly If the Jews are now given the governed by its Arab and Jewish Negev, it will perhaps be easier inhabitants under international

The Jewish and Arab areas Negev. And they claim the miles outside the strict city could be split into municipal boroughs with a co-ordinating authority for the distribution of Many people have been to water and other indivisible ser-

few months ago wrong today? Jews would now agree to see be done if there is a will to do placed under an international it. If there is not, an irreden-There is something to be said Administration—is a mediaeval tism will be created—and not second place, they will make ways with steps every ten yards, eventually result in a new something of it. be successful.

> And in the meantime Britain would lose nothing by granting official recognition to the State of Under the British Administra- Israel, which, "us the mediator tion it was far cleaner and Bernadotte-on whom be peace-



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"Both these countries will live

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The Indian delegate, Mr. C. C

pursuing the application of the

Indonesians for associate member-

Prime Minister, Mr. Nehru, has

repentedly emphasized the neces-

sity for inclusion of the valuable

aren in the orbit of the Commis-

Final Settlement

He stafed that in discussions

with Mr. Joseph B. Chifley, the

Australian Prime Minister, yester-

day, he found the 'Australian

Government in full agreement

with India's opinion and stand on

Mr. Desai thought the Nether-

"This issue has been hanging!

over the Commission for threb

meetings, and now a decision

lands delegation would see the

wisdom of the admission of Indonesia and would return to the -

Commission at its next session,

ing the Commission.-Reuter.

Mr. Desni added.

This issue.

"We were not acting under So-

fessor Gellssen added.

Lapstone, December 11. A felling of futility and frustration was prevalent amongst most members of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East, whose twoweek conference ands today.

The high hopes expressed in the conference's opening stages that something worthwhile and practical might be effected towards rehabilitation in the Far East have not been realised.

The five-year "master plan" He maintained that the two for the development of indus- Dominions had surrendered to try and agriculture produced pressure from this bloc, more by a Working Party, of the from accessity and fear of those Commission has been shelved antions in the North than from through lack of funds from either the United States or the International Monetary Bank.

Hopes that ECAFE would become the Asian counterpart of the Desai, however, denied the exis-European Advisory Council, sel tence of an Asiah blue and up to deal with Marshall Plan claimed full responsibility for problems, have also been dashed. The Commission is still an advisory body for the collection and ship. exchange of economic data on projected development schemes in viet instructions," he said, "Our Asia and the Far East.

"Asiatic Bloc"

Professor H. C. Gelissen, lender sion. of the Datch delegation, who staged a dramatic walk-out of the conference last Wednesday. said he was surprised that Austrains and New Zealand had supported what he called the Asiatic

Subversive Movement In India

New Delhi, December 10. The Rahhtriya Swayam Sewak Hangha organisation, whose leaders were rounded up by the police recently, has launched a civil disobedience

A large number of the organhatlon's members was arrested Desat said. the streets near the city market place when they started shouting slogans and distributing

propaganda leaflets. They demanded that the Government remove the ban on the organisation which was proclaimed following the assassination of

The organisation's membership is reported to number thousands - The Hindustan Times said 150 suspects were arrested. The police employed a baton charge to disperse small crowds of demonstrators in the city's business section.

Extra

Xmas Tree For London

Oslo, December 11. The Christmas tree for London's Trafaldar Bquare -Will be bent from Osto today on board the cargo ship "Bamsb," It wils antibunced in Oslo yesterday.

The 60-feet-high treb will be transported through the streets of Oslo to the docks during the night to avoid traffic dieturbance.

The tree will be delivered to the people of London at a ceremony in Trafalgar Square on December 20. Oslo's Lord Mayor, H. E. Stokke and the Norwegian Ambasador Will be present. Artificial show flakes and niuminium foll streamers are being sent from Norway to

decorate the tree.

with coloured Decked lights and kurmounted with Illuminated star, the tree will be erected between the recently constructed fountains in Trafaigar Square. . It will be presented to the Minister of Works, Mr. Charles Key, on December 20 by Mr. H. E. Stokke, the

London, December 10. The King has agreed to a request of the House of Commons has been reached I think it will to direct that a mace and speed along a final settlement. Speaker's chair be presented on between the contesting parties," behulf of the House of Commons to the House to Representatives

Referring to the work achieved in Ceylon. "It gives me the greatest pleaby the Commission, Mr. Desni said he had hoped the Commis suro," the King said in a message sion would become the Asian read to the House, "to learn that counterpart of the European Ad- the House of Commons proposes visory Council, but this unfortun- to make such a gift to my House ntely has not been achieved, Mr. of Representatives in Ceylon and will gladly give directions for the

He deprecated the repeated enrying out of the proposals." raising of political issue during. Mr. Herbert Morrison, Lord the session and said much valu- President of the Council, said last able time had been devoted to week that the Commons' gift was polemies on matters not concern- to mark Ceylon's attainment, of | self-government.-Reuter.

Mayor of Oslo,-Associated Press and Router. TO CEYLON

Standardisation Washington, December 10.

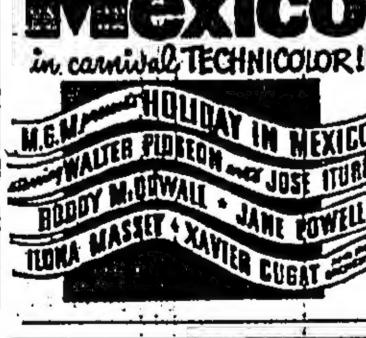
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tively here today.

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Such standardisation, designed to ensure the maximum inter-changability of parts in the event of war, is regarded as providing the sinews to the mlitary alliance being developed between the two countries with Canada, France, Belglum, Holland and Luxembourg...

Authoritative sources here aid the standardisaion programme would not interrupt the separate development by each country of individual aircraft

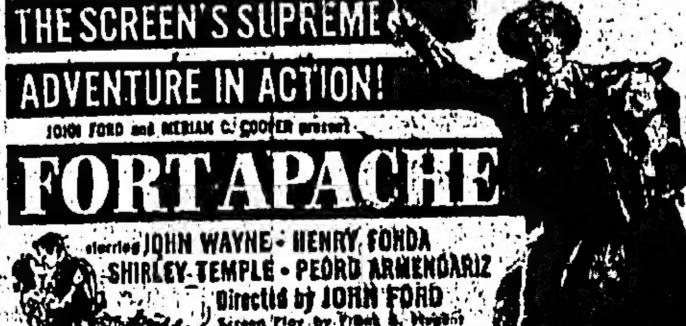
Joint Stockpiles

It involved rather the Interchangeability of such things us basic armament, fromb mountings, engine mountings and 'oxy-

The complete standardisation will make possible joint stock-piling of these Key accessories and end the difficultles which prose . The the Tast war when British bombs could hot be made to fit on American bombers and vice versa. Because Britain is likely, to ecome the main source lighter aircraft for the other nations of the Western Union It

is believed here that the standardisation programme will tend to spread to these other countries, thus permitting an even larger concentration on productive efficiency and broader interchangeability of key parts. The building fo British engines and planes under licence in some of these European countries is also likely.—Reuter.

7.15 & 9:40 p.m.



Was Her

Lond Bosch, December 11. William H. Stowart paints his kitchen white. Then lie stood back, looked proudly at his finddiwork, and

took off to refebrate. Coming Home in the small hours yesterday, he stepped into the kitchen for one more look. But his wife had been there first. In bright yellow patht, on one of his fresh white cuptioned doors she had written:

"BILL: 2.80. You are not home." And on the other dupboard shè daded: "2.30 n.m.!" Stowart atood and pondbred

m white, then liptoed into his wife's bedroom. He painted her tace yellow. Mrs. Stewart called police.

"Husbaild painting wife," the radio, call said. Officers helped Mrs, Stewart to remove the point, then naked it she wanted her husband ar-

rested. Bhe said no. Stewart just smiled.-United

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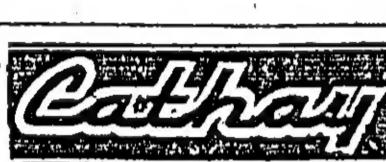
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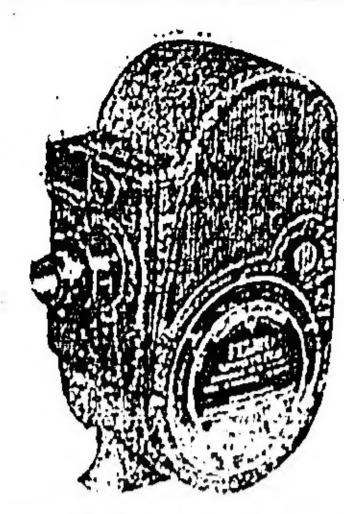
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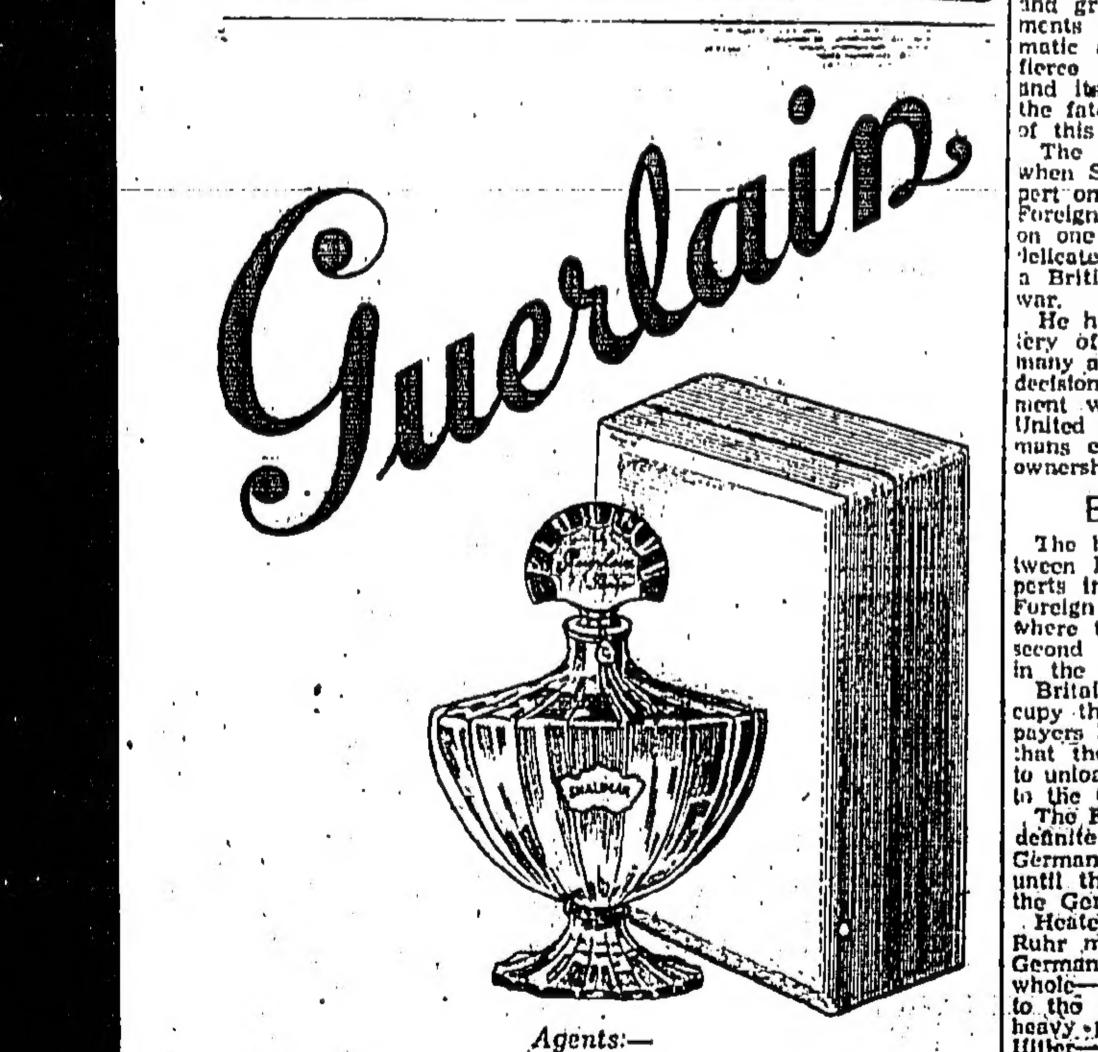
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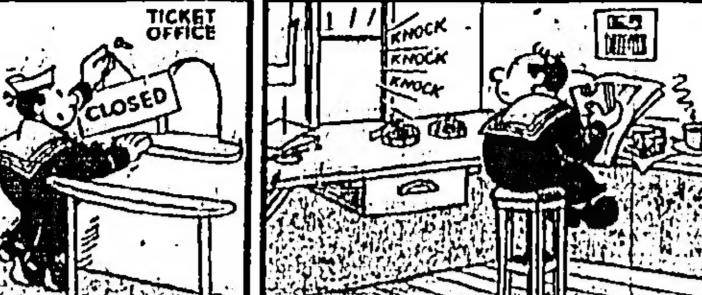
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PATRICK CAMPBEL

Dropped in the other eventing—this persistent dropping in—to see the final eliminating rounds to select the English Amateur Ball-room Dancing Team to dance against the Danish Amateur Ball-room Dancing Team on Monday. December 0, at the Empress Hall, Earls Court, in Britain's first postwar amateur international dancing match between the English cing match between the English surface." press Hall, Earls-

we had to go round again.

counter labelled "Handbag Re- imnieur ballroom dancers are ceedingly strict regulations, gets Speaking as a man who likes is no reason for this, so we can adjective - were diving and less for anything else. swooping round the floor with expressions on their faces varying from "Don't let me go, Charlie, I'm nearly done," to "Mother side, so that the judges can see thinks I look like a swan."

stomp. This stuff was rigidly the skirt to give the proper flow-refined, "Tell me," I said to the lady thuous wing, and, for all I know,

She said she was, "Well, then," I asked her, pretty queer at parties too.

What part of Glasgow do you come from? It's an inscrutable heavy drain on the amuteurs' re- Normy boy! Let 'em have it. law of the universe that all female | sources, but they don't mind, be- Normy!" professional ballroom dancer cause if they win they get the She said she'd been born in cing is a singularly clean sport.

"I'd be surprised," she said, "if chins resting on their partners" As the band slipped into the denly has to revert to his family they got into the team. The man heads, and there is equally little final quick-step, the uproar be name? There is every chance

A new battle of the Ruhr is

It is being fought with figures

ind graphs and masses of docu-

ments and long-drawn-out diplo-

matic arguments. But it is a

flerce and momentous battle,

and its outcome could decide the fate of Europe for the rest

when Sir Ivone Kirkpatrick, ex-

battle began to hot up

raging-a battle between the

French and the British.

of this century.

to the Germans.

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room Dancing Team at the Em- that you can quote and discuss oneself from one's leved one, and oress Hall, Earls—— with all your friends, so let's have taking on a new partner, who, will. Oh, I see. All right. I thought the door locked on the outside, of necessity, have to have an and absolute quiet. I don't want / agreeable appearance, and this to have to go over it all again. I may lead to trouble in the home. I checked my pumps at the A large number of the leading

the best two falls out of three, safely go on to the next.

the fun seemed to me to be of a lt costs about .080 to provide next next really begins. limited nature. Ten couples in yourself with a dress suitable for immaculate evening dress -- what | competitive ballroom dancing, and I like best about my work is the lonce you have it it's almost use-

The dress must be on the short the performers' feet, and it must But none of that old stomp- have about seven layers of net in who'd been flogged into looking the tipsy and the whisk. Not a

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older than him, or her - oh, Amateur Ballroom Dancing Team This is what she told me, and can't stand this—and then comes A moment later the floor was and the Dainish Amateur Ball- it's going to be real newsy stuff the difficult business of detaching invaded by the onlookers, busy-

> And nobody, owing to the expaid a sausage for their trouble. unless they turn professional and then the trouble about part-

"Well," I said to the lady who ought to have come from Glasgow, "Imagine. It just looked to me like a lot of ladles and gentlenien in immaculate evening dress diving and swooping round the

tie announcement. Three couples they aren't going to be peers of had tied. They would have to snything at all. dance again.

and suddenly pandemonium was is hope to be a fletitious title, after me, "Are you a professional costume in which you can all let loose. The audience, who up bearing no relation to any living ballroom dancer?"

| Costume in which you can all let loose. The audience, who up bearing no relation to any living down the street on a bleycle for till now had been almost apathe-person, and if the matter comes a packet of chips, and it looks tic, suddenly let themselves go.

A wild roar came from immedi- thing. ately behind me-"Wrap it up,

past, but far from showing any bunnions have been gidering appreciation of this loyal backing, Belfast.

After that we talked about the dancers seemed an firch or two shorter than the dancing. All the dancers seemed an firch or two shorter than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters than the dancers seemed an firch or two shorters are dark the dancers and dancers are dark the dancers and dancers are dark the d to me to be diving and swooping man. A pleasing picture is the might have been contemplating, round, with equal grace, but suddenly ident—a perfectly matched pair. in a gentle way, the numerous But

I looked at her calmly. "Not the gentleman keeps on poking Normy boy! Dance up, Normy!"

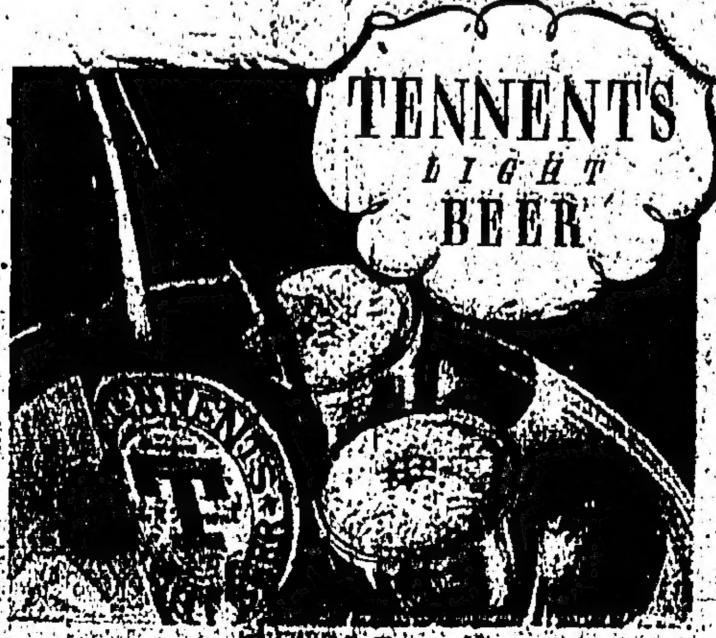
BATTLE OF THE RUHR The French say that under an industrial plan which Britain and the U.S. Have just finished working out for Bizonia, Germany is already on the way to

> Rapid Recovery They claim that Germany is the White Russians.

becoming a menace to peace.

from becoming again a menace to the military security of France and to Britain.

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I wondered what they could possibly be wanting Normy to do. He was already all out feathering, chassying, slithering, and, as far as, I could see, leading like a lion

The contest ended in babel, so

much so' that I couldn't quite make out whether Normy boy had gained his place or not. A moment later the floor was ing themselves with the breath, taking fidventure of an excuse-

I hadn't the heart to join in: picked up my pilinps from the handbag depository and went home. Couldn't see any partners. as a matter of fact, over bix feet in height.

Reduction To The Ranks

Here's another thing they don't seem to have thought about, rushing at this Irish alien busines.

What's going to become of the Irish peers? They are peers of the Realm, and it seems to me At this moment came a drama- that if the Realm part is removed

They came out on to the floor, of Ballybunnion, which I ferventinto court, I never said any such

The title came into the family owing to something that happened in the time of Oliver Cromwell. Normy and his partner swept so that for 300 years the Ballygroceries and getting credit with

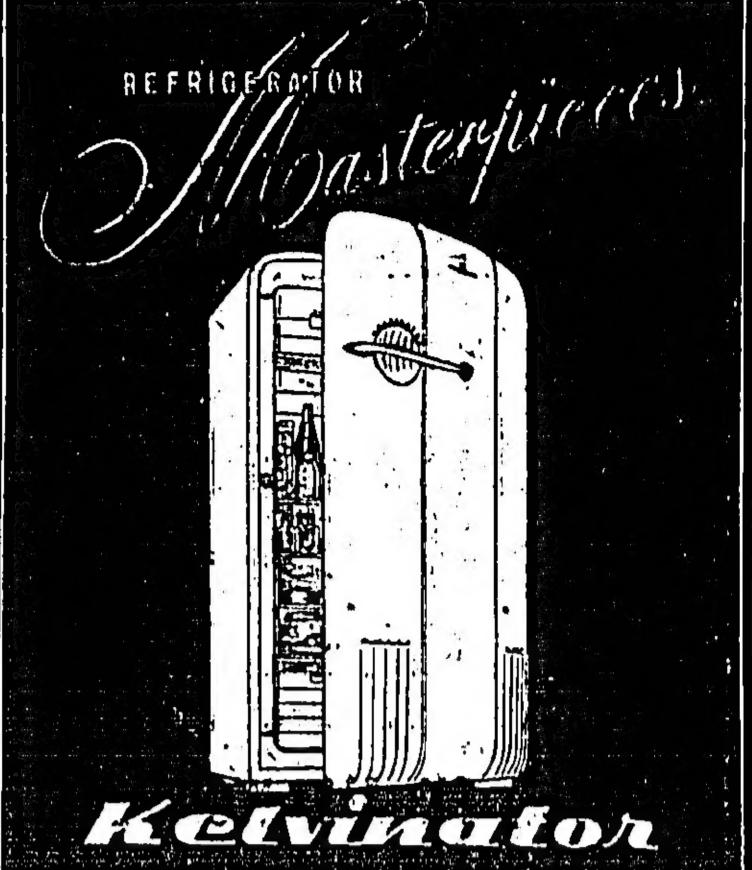
If the Enri of Ballybunnion sudis not leading from the chest." | charice of getting anywhere if came quite deafening-"Come on; that it may turn out to be something like Muldoch or Kelly. Or even Smith.

But where are we golfig to be

This is going to take a lot, of the steam out of fashloudble bridge-tens in Dublin.

The door opens; a lhrided gentleman-crisp moustactic, impeccable tweeds—comes in. The butler, at the top of his voice, announces, "Mr. Joe Muldoon!".
It won't do at all. In fact think they'll probably have to emigrate, and I know where: they're going to go to. Paris-to join their fellows in misfortune,

being allowed to recover faster than France or Britain. And to ever there next summer, and you support their argument they hire a flacte, and you ask the have produced—figures on the driver his name, and he replies;



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when Sir Ivone Kirkpatrick, expert on Germany at the British Foreign Office rushed to Paris on one of the most difficult and lelicate missions undertaken by a British diplomat since the war.

He had to face an angry battiery of Freich experts on Germany and try to defend British's decision to stand by an harcement we had reached with the United States to allow the German when are eventually to resume fullowership of the Ruhr.

Britain's Case
The battle began to bot up when Sir Ivone Kirkpatrick, experts on German Socialist Party.

They have also lashed out against the Americans and accused them of abandoning the plan for permanent, control of the Ruhr "so that American and accused them of abandoning the plan for permanent, control of the Ruhr "so that American steel output from 4,000,000 tons tons to 7,000,000 tons a 75 per cent. Increase.

The Britain German Steel production has already caught up with that of France.

The Powers had fixed a celling for German steel expansion at 10,700,000 tons a year, but which been decided about. Ruhr ownership of the Ruhr.

Britain's Case
The battle row goes on between French and British experts in a dingy room at the Foreign Office in Whitehall, where the future of the Ruhr—to be plan for Blzonia, according to French decided about. Ruhr ownership of the Ruhr—to be plan for Blzonia, according to French decided about as the plan for Blzonia, according to French decided about as the plan for Blzonia, according to French decided about as the french maintain that Germany should be prevented from becoming again a menace and the British security of France and to British security of France and to British security of France and the British TOYLAND GRAND DISPLAY OF TOYS TO FILL EVERY STOCKING THAT MEANS A HAPPY CHILD ON ANOTHER CHRISTMAS MORNING. wants somothing SUVENILE CARS TRICYCLES merely amusing to the thinking bby who likes to SCOOTERS make thing." BABY CARRIAGES WALKING HORSES whose ness is the "playing house" und Who whits overything A teat house Has.



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KING'S, ILLNESS

OF AMPUTATION THEORY

London, December 11.

4 New York newspaper report that Royal doctors were considering amputation to check the serious disease in the legs of King George VI, was flatly denied on Friday by the highest authori-

The statement, coming from a source which insisted on remaining unnamed, was given to the Associated Press and the Buckingham Palace correstandents of two British news agencies.

The source broke recent obstruction to blood circulation alleree on the condition of in his legs, to deny a report King George, who was ordered published by the New York to bed last month because of an Micror,

Egyptians

Advance In

Palestine

Tel-Aviv, December 10,

Egyptian infantry supported

by a column of tanks thrust

across the Palestine border to-

day in what may be a drive to

recapture Beersheba, according

to an Israeli military spokes-

Licot, Colonel Mosher Perlman

and that a "battle is now con-

tuning" in the Negev desert in

South Palestine but he gave no

In Park, however, both Egypt

and banel seemed ready to nego-

trate on armistice. Prime Minis-

ter David Ben Gurlon today

cabled the acting mediator, Ralph

I, Bunche, that Iscael is ready to

withdraw from Negev releasing an

of aggression against israel,"

Colonel Periman said that a

"strong infantry formation" and at

least 16 tanks had attacked the

Jewish settlement of Nirim, less

than five miles from the Egyptian

MARATHON

FLIGHT

Washington, December 10.

A United States four-engined

B-56 bomber plane has flown

9,400 miles non-stop from Fort

buck in slightly over 40 hours

Worth, Texas to Hawaii

fuel in mid-air.—Reuter.

frontier,—United Press.

trapped in Faluja.

-"Fatal Gangrene"

The Mirror said that at American doctor was flying to Buckingbam Palace for conphysicans, It said the King's doctors were "on the verge of ordering one or both of his legs. amputated to check fatal gan-

There is no truth to the report that an American doctor has been called into consultation, it was stated, "There is no touth in the New York report that the King's doctors are contemplating amputation of either of both feet," he

Grave Concern

There has been no doubt, however, that the Palace circles are gravely concerned for the King's

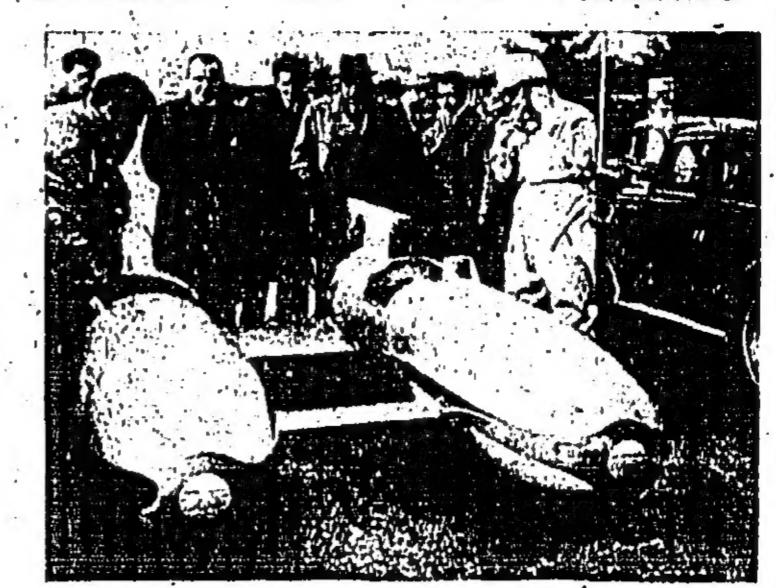
He has not left. Buckingham Palace since his illness was announced on November 23 and he was reported to be spending much of his time in bed. A report from his physicians

estimated 2,000 Egyptian soldiers Ben Gurion warned, how- last Monday reported slight unever, that Israel would with provement in his blood circuladraw her men only if Egypt ion. Another medical bulletin is would quarantee not to use the expected next Monday .- Asso-Faluja soldlers "for further acta ciated Press.

U.S. ADVISORY GROUP CONTINUES

Nanking December 10. A spokesmun of the Joint United States Military Advisory Group today categorically denied widesprend Nanking reports that the Group was discontinuing its advisory work in the capital as from today.

It was admitted that there had been a reduction of personnel and in certain activities, but the spokesman stated that general advisory work was continuing as by using "tanker" planes to re- long as conditions permitted,-



Italian racing driver Pietro Taruffi (right) adjusts his helmet before entering his unorthodox twin - clgar - shaped midget car to break five world speed records for the 500 ec class on the Brescia-Bergamo highway, Italy.

The three-feet high .twin-fuselage car, one side of which houses the engine (a two cylinder Guzzi) and the other the driver, shattered the one kilometre (flying start), five kilometres (flying start), five miles (flying start) and one mile (standing start). He is also reported to have broken the one Kliometre (standing start), AP Photo,

Proves Real Weather Mock Battle

Plymouth, December 10. The wild Atlantic at its wosrt, rather than the invading "Red" fleet has been "Blueland's" major enemy in the past 24 hours of Britain's mock war.

South-West coast has blunted wipe out the fleet of "Blueall the efforts of the air de- land" the service chiefs were fences in stemming the advance at dawn today faced with the of the "Red" surface vessels, fact that the cremy's units were

Dispute Over Radio In Berlin

Berlin, December 10. British officials yesterday declined to comment on a newspaper report that the Russians had been asked to quit the Betlin radio station in the British Sector.

The station's director was reported to have told his staff: "An order to withdraw must be expected. We are, however, prepared to resist.'

ing technical equipment, studies, dropped" and "Fleet and thousands of recordings, was sighted" intact and in working order. Less than-a-week-later-Radio-Berlin the command of Vice-Admiral control.

That control has never been relinquished and today the Western Allies face the situation of Radio Berlin, studios located the British Sector and the transmitter in the French Sector, and der is Admiral Sir Robert L the Russians allowing none of the Burnett other occupying powers to use Plymouth). the station facilities,

Six months ago the British trolled by Air Vice Marshal I they refused.—Reuter.

So far, the gale raging off the lattempts by "atom bombs" to Twice frustrated by storms in still unscathed and were only about 250 miles from the coasts.

> stined sea-air exercises on only approximate to the grim reality of actual war, the open-Ing rounds of "Operation Sunrise" have shown that even atom bombers are no sure shield against sea-borne invasion helped by weather. Early today the second Blue-

Although the mock com-

land sortle of atom bomb-curry-Lincolns struggled back to their bases, beaten by the weather in locating the Red warships. The attack leader's plane gramme was forced back soon after take- ! off with technical trouble.

Grim Conditions

eight aircraft fought a ceaseless battle ugainst blinding rain When Berlin was captured by severe icing, low clouds and the Red Army the Russians driving winds before returning Arthur is considered to be the found that Radio Berlin, includ- to their base to report "no hombs logical choice for any future oversee an all-out battle against The Redland force is under

was on the air under Soviet Sir Roderick McGrigor, Commander-in-Chief Home Fleet and it is understood at Plymouth that he has at his disposal one battleship, three aircraft carriers, three cruisors and 19 destroyers. The Blueland naval comman-(Commander-in-Chief,

The air strike force is con-Military Government served the L. Hopps, Air Officer Command-Russians with notice to quit, but ing the 19th Group, RAF Plymouth.-Reuter.

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JAPAN TO BE U.S. BUFFER AGAINST REDS

Tokyo, December 11. There are many indications that the present United States policy is to make America's Far East stand against Communism in Japan and not on the continent of Asia.

Numerous foreign observers here are of this opinion and believe that this policy will become more and more apparent in the future.

result in a major change, such lag planes. as a decision to make one last attempt to save the Chinese Nationalist 'regime. In any case, they note, Japan would remain as the sure and real put the country on its feet. buffer between the United States and Communist Asia.

sincere interest in seeing Communism halted in China.

Threat To Japan

The Japanese would like to see Nationalist China saved, because they feel that a Communist China would be a real threat to Japan, Hence you find many Japanese who are anxious to see the United States extend a beloing hand to Generalissing Chiang Kal-shick's regime.

Americans as well studying the US. position There are several points which lead them to believe that American officials nave decided to back Japan inther than Chira as a democratic barrier against Communism in the Far East. They are! (2) Communed cool official at-

titude in Washington toward necessary gigantic loans assistance necessary China. (2) Renewed U.S. posals for the withdrawal of both United States and Russian force from Korea. This could be prelude to complete U.S. military withdrawning from: the mainland of Asia.

Five Year Plan

(3) General MacArthur's recent

directive to the Japanese government to launch a five-year building programme. The prowould Japanese recovery and prove of value to American military forces in time of war. (4) The current American talks in Washington on further For over eight hours the other aid to Japan. (5) President Truman's announcement General MacArthur would not be sent to China, General Macpost which might be set up to

> Communism in the For East. (6) The decision to wind up all Japanese war crimes tribunals in Japan by the end of this year. This was interpreted as the forerunner of an intense United States drive to win friends for America or for Americans here.

(7) The Far Eastern Commis-United States, to put Japaneze agreed to negotiate. foreign trade on a virtually free

They believe that 'only an enpuble of handling the latest unforeseen turn of events could United States atom bomb carry-

> (9) The United States has excellent bases in Japan. (10) The announced United States policy to rebuild Japanese industry and

(11) There is less danger of While the Japanese would like an open conflict with Russia if to see a lot of U.S. money poured the United States continues her into their country, they do have present successful programme in Japon than if the United States moves for a similar all-out effort in China.-United Press.

Human Race May Be Changed

San Francisco, December 10. The human race may be unfavourably changed in future Japanese here are anxiously generations because of present day use of radio-activity in medical treatment, Professor Herman J. Muller warned

yesterday. Professor Muller, Nobel Prize winning geneticist at the Univercity of Indiana, said fluoroscopie gadio-active isotope, atom smusher and X-ray machines are combining to increase sharply the chances of genetic injury. Even a routing examination of a woman's abdomen by fluoroscopy means a 10 per cent chance of handicapping and killing one of her descendants-perhaps hunfreds of years hence. This

If X-ray examination or treatment are necessary, special care should be taken to shield the glands. "

Itoutine fluoroscopic examination sends more high energy radiation in a person's body than he received in an entire lifetime a century ago from natural radintion from the earth. Yet this examination may some day mean that a yet to be born person may pe crippled, sterile or die in his mother's womb because of injury to her genes.—United Press.

STRIKERS DELAY THE EXPRESS

Nanking, December 10. One hundred striking railway workers at Chingking today laid ncross the railway tracks preventing-the-passage---of-the----Shanghai-Nanking day express. Chingking, the provincial capital of Klangsu, is on the Yangtse about 45 miles East of Nanking. The men struck because their Nanking colleagues received a grant of GY 1,000 each towards expenses of evacuating dependents whereas they had received nothing. After several hours of rail sitting, the men called off sion decision, pushed by the the strike when the authorities

The express continued on its. basis. (8) The United States has journey after a delay of six constructed air bases in Japan hours,-Reuter. .





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AFRICAN RACIALISM

Popular opinion is solidly behind the Malan Government is its desire to send the Indians back

The Government is still engaged ed on the defails, which are riddled with constitutional issues, but already the cost has been worked out -280,000,900. This is n formidable bill for a small daxpaying community, but large sections of the European population want this move despite the cost.

Opinion against the Indians Is not confined to supporters of the Malan Government. The United Party, which is General Smuta's party, at a recent meeting in Natal unanimously requested a roundtable conference between the Union, India and Pakistan, with the alm of achieving urgent repatriation of the Indians, The resolution also asked that pending repatriation certain restrictive measures be imposed.

Agitators Busy

Opposing any repatriation step are a small and noisy body of Communists, churchmen and IIberal-minded people, but they are a minority.

The Indian community watches apprehensively and calls are being made to all indians to stand together and light the Government. Mr. Y. Cachalia, secretary of the Transvaal Indian Congress, told me that the Indians would resist any move to send them out of the country,

They would be prepared to in- Cyprus, under the silver-dusted tresses squat on the runways of paign for the Cyprus Regiment tensity the struggle by a big civil office trees, the notices stare at disobedience campuign on the you in English, Creek and Turlines taught by Gandhi. "If viol- | kish: "£250 reward for informaence is used we shall meet blood- | tion leading to the arrest of those shed with passive registance," he responsible for 18 cases of dyna-

INDIAN VIEW

tal, and the ports of Larmora. Should Dr. Malan carry out Limassol and Famagusta. But his threat to repatriate the In- all four have Communist mayors. dlans it would create a human Four-feet high, red hammertragedy in many ways more com- and-sickle signs are painted on plicated than last year's Punjab the mountain roads, refugee problem, which India has In a dusty Jane strike pickets give the clenched fist salute. not yet solved.

The first boutload of repatriates landing at bombay would certainly be received as "heroes," complete with speeches and other trappings, but succeeding boat- not restricted to the all-Techniloads would find a rapidly in- colour glory of the island's suncreasing antagonism from native- sets. born Indians, who would see the True, our latest jet fighters newcomers as "foreigners," har- skim over the rocky coasts of the der working, untranmelled by last 3,500 square miles of tercaste and prepared to take their ritory we control in the Eastern Mediterranean. Sunburnt British livelihoods from them. soldiers clump through the street.

Caste Apart

repatriates themselves would find it almost impossible to settle down among the caste and custom ridden indigenous

Being largely Madrassl and South Indian peasant stock, many, of them either Moslems or Christions, they would naturally tend to settle in South India, where SCAP they will suspend repatritheir presence would aggravate ation of their Japanese prisoners the north-south tension which al- during winter. ready exists over a national lan-

If Dr. Malan repatriated only ately expressed disappointment Indians of Hindu stock, which is over the suspension by which a possibility suggested by South Africa's trade overtures to Pakltan, il would greatly heighten India-Pakistan tension. This at present shows signs of declining.

But India is not fearful that Dr. Malan's threats will be enforced. They are confident that he will eventually have to give in to latter to headestarters. He reiterated SCAP promises of icebreakers and ships.

Lieutenant General Kubma Derevyko, Soviet member of the Allied Council, said in a brief latter to headestarters. eventually have to give in to letter to headquarters that re-India's demands. Passive resist- patriation was discontinued, due once effectively got rid of the to heavy climatic and icing con-British, they say and will beat ditions, until the navigation seathe South Africans. 🕒



Nationalist soldiers, members of a mortar detachment watch Nationalist heavy artillery shells explode short of the Communist lines from their front line position on outskirts of Erhchenchl, South of Hauchow. (AP Photo).

Communists

WILL THE DREAM RHODES COME Saliabury, Southern Rhodesia, A long-forgotten dream of Cecil

Rhodes has a chance of becoming reality in the £17,000,000 project for a Rhodesia-East Africa railway Ilnk.

At last the landlocked "little empire" in the heart of Africa is to have a life-line of its own and won't be dependent on the bounty of a foreign nation in reaching the

Next to man-power, transport is Africa's greatest "if," and a through route from the Cape to the source of the Nile at Jinja. with branch lines down to British East African ports, will open up a whole new Commonwealth,

Air routes between the distant settlements in this country are magnificently organised and operafed, but roads are still primitive and railways hardly exist,

Smelting By Wood

ports of Portugal's Beirn and the abundance. Union's Durban and Capetown.

The great copper mines in Northern Rhodes, which are copable of being big dollar earners, are burning wood in their smell-

Southern Rhodesia has to wait ling fires because the rickety railmonths for urgently needed deve- | way line can't carry enough of the lopment goods from the choked coal which the Rhodesias have in

> The two potential federations of East Africa and Central Africa have no rail link. There is no physical junction between the main Tanganyika line and the railways of Kenya and Uganda. But the cruellest cut of all, as far us the Rhodesia are concerned, is that 150-mile stretch through Portuguese territory to Belra.

"If only , Rhodes had secured | that corridor," is a universal sigh | which towers above the Adminishere. But he didn't-and 1,000 miles of jungle to get to a ed-and who got things done. port under the Union Jack.

Everyone is anxious that work | true. begins on the proposed railway as soon as possible. Meanwhile, plans for the amalgamation of Northern and Southern Rhodesia and Nyasaland-wheh have been described as the worst examples of waste in the British Empirewith more hindrance than help from Whitehall.

Only A Crumb

election victory, Sir Godfrey Hug- leave the Convent even if her gins, Southern Rhodesia's tireless mother were dying. Premier, is determined to see this Her mother, Mrs. Anastacla great ideal of his realised. His Jimenez, had filed with the Court attitude to Whitehall's cold shoul- of First Instance of Balangas,; a But through the unions they der was this: "I've asked for a petition for a writ of habeas cor-

and fishes-just some realistic understanding of our problems by the gentlemen in Whitehall."

Perhaps the greatest boon to travellers and business people arising out of a merger of the three territoriess will be one currency and one Customs.

I have found Nyasaland the most backward of all our Central African territories. Education facilities for the children of the white settlers are immentable. At Litongwe recently me! Mr. W. Smith, garage proprietor, who was about to start building a school for his three children and 20 other young-

school or even provide a teacher. So a few of us are taking matters into our own hands," he said. "I'm building a schoolhouse, and the local librarian has offered her services as teacher.

"The authorities won't build a

"The nearest school is 300 miles away and the authorities expect us to send our children there. We say, 'Rubbish'."

Biggest unifying factor at present is the airways which radiate from hero through Central and East Africa. Airstrips have become more important to outlying vilinges than golf courses and country clubs. Air freighters ily livestocks and farm equipment 1,000 miles in a day while the poor rail services have hardly covered 100 miles."

The giant statue of Rhodes trative Buildings here reminds Rhodesias must detour through Rhodesians of a man who dream-There's a great urge to make the greatest of Rhodes' dreams come

GIRL WILL NOT LEAVE CONVENT

Manila, December 11. Miss Virginia Jimenez "of Manila, 25-year-old postulant at the Carmelite Convent at Lips City in Batengas, testified at an unprecedented Court session at Fortified by his recent outright the Convent that she would not

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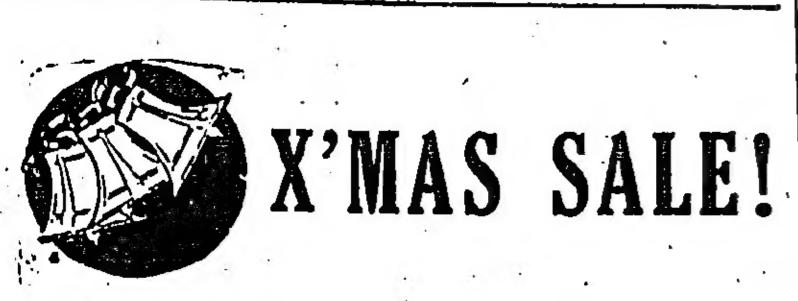
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son of 1949.—Associated Press.

sioner's offices in the island's four

biggest towns--Nicosia, the capi-

Red "Outpost"

The red in the Cyprus scene is

Repatriation

Discontinued

Soviet authorities have notified

Tokyo, December 11,

From the village walls of the flag at the ports. U.S. For- prooms. A big recruiting cam-Nicosia alrifeld alongside R.A.F. | was launched.

outpost here. tance of Cyprus to-day. From tion. The Union Jack flies over the behind a 200-mile-wide Mediter-

> invasion of the Nile Valley and By J.L. HAYS

infle of the 600 infles long, oneroad, one-rallway route over the coustn't plains between the Syrian-Turkish frontier and the day.

island which has been likened to a vast Anglo-American aircraft giant refineries of Haifa and 700 rican defence work. iniles from the Black Sea ports? Destroyers, sloops and cruisers of the Mediterranean Fleet show munist infiltration.

This island has been British since 1878. It has a population of 450,000 and, among 365,000 they have ordered strikes against industrial under-takings. nearly 100,000 adherents.

Infiltration

Here is a text-book description with World War II raging, the have the biggest circulations on Cyprus Government legalised the island. Press laws are

the Greek-speaking Left launched A.K.E.L., using, for the first time. trade, union funds for political ings. But, in practice, Commu-A.K.E.L., the People's Movement, Socialist - Liberal alliance of E.A.M. on the Greek mainland. But when Russia was attacked by Germany, A.K.E.L. dropped British tradition. But, with the

The 'hard-core" Communist But it seems that Russin has an [Central Committee of A.E.K.L. became the Central Committee of Don't underestimate the impor- the Pan-Cypriot Labour Federa-

To-day there are no parties of ranean barrier the island out the Left. There is only the Left flanks the traditional route for an -under Communist control. 2. EXPLOITATION. While

E.A.M.'s red star was in the ascendent in Greece, the Communists used the slogan "Enosis"union with Greece-against the are being pushed quietly ahead, Egypt from the East. Planes British. When the Right began from Cyprus can cover every to rule in Athens they switched to "Self-Government for Cyprus" |---by themselves.

This is their main slogan to-They have left the Right. Why does the Cyprus Govern- furred into the pro-Enosis camment allow the long arm of Mos- paign by pressure of emotional cow to reach out and grab for an public opinion, to carry the Enusis bag.

corrier anchored only 400 bomber control and they are also striking loaf, but Whitehall has only pus, seeking Virginia's return to pilles from Sucz, 550 miles from directly at the West by attempt- given me a crumb. We do not her parental home in Manila. the Dardanelles, 200 miles from ing to force the closed shop on need another miracle of loaves United Press. the oil pipe-line terminal and contractors handling Anglo-Ame-

When the Right formed their One answer is that Cyprus pro- own unions and went to work the vides a classic example of Com- Communists pulled the weapon of intimidation from its scabbard.

This is the position to-day.
What is the Cyprus Government doing? Almost nothing. Just

control of processions and meet-In those early days hist propaganda and organisation

The Cypriots have more freemodelled on the then apparently dom of thought, speech and All this may be in the bestlukewarmness towards the lesson of Malaya still unfolding, The Communists in its there are many Britons hereranks took over command. Pic- and Greeks and Turks, too-who

tures of Stalin appeared in club- are asking: "Is it wise?"



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by their government's August 19 currency re-

Washington, December 10.

dents in this category

spokesman denied that the stu-

Chein doesn't like it.

transparent garment barely

New-style bodices, built along

brassiere lines, are cut low both

in front and at the back. Con-

girls today are revealing what

Hollywood's Johnson Office might

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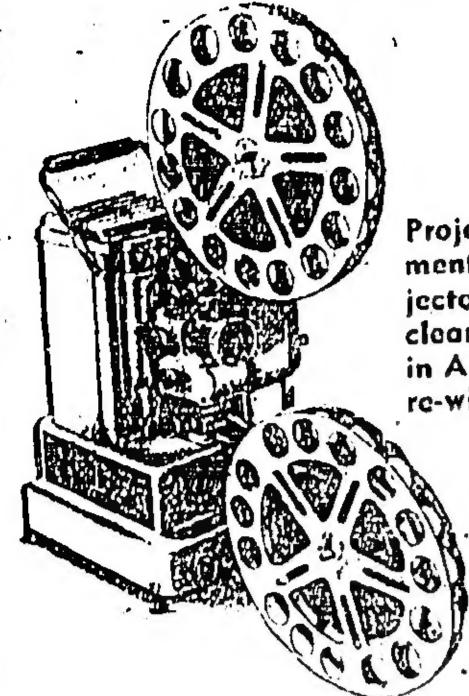
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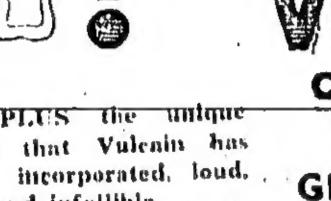
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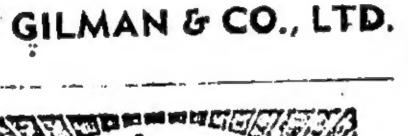


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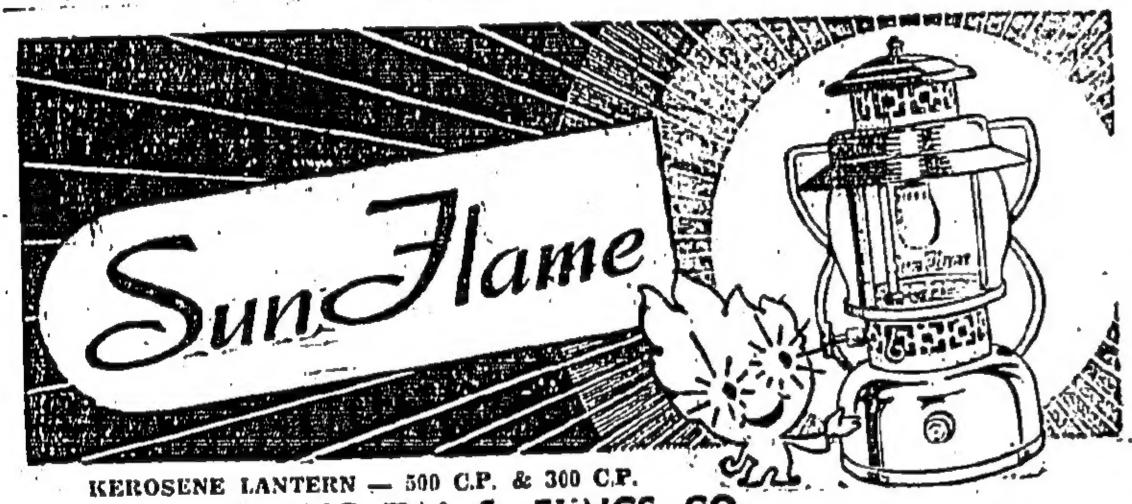
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spokesman said that the Nanking Government has granted permission to the Embassy to grant up to \$400 to students wishing to return to China movie equipment! by February 1.

Desperate Attempt

Cairo, December 10.

Tinnsjordan Parliament, which is expected to approve the crea-

This united kingdom, according some observers in Cairo, would imply the annexation of Arab Palestine by Transjordan as provided in the Bernadotte

said: "The world in general and the Arab States in particular know the British will not give up their manoeuvreing in Palestine to preserve their own interests." The "Al Kotla," organ of the Wafdist dissident bloc, stated:

jordan is an old story. Transsuch an attitude by herself. Britain has a hand in this dan-The newspaper, "Al Misri,

reported yesterday that the Transjordan Parliament would shortly approve Tuesday's accept Burmese wear three garments only — a. Longyi by the Transfordan Cabinet of the resolution of a Congress of Palestinian Arabs at Jericho last week which called on King Abdullah to proclaim himself King of Palestine. King Abdullah's interests in

EXPLOSIONS KILL sequently well-dressed Burmese

the Kansas Power and Light Com- approving of this departure, issued pany's main plant late Thursday, an edict. He told bodice manu-killing at least seven workers facturers to alter the lines of the transparent jacket first was in-ley." Press.

BRIBE INQUIRY

Clothing Coupons

Mr. Belcher agreed that Stan-

had not paid. He gave Stanley the

long this examination goes on I

ration coupons for the suit.

placed me in his debt."

is improper or immoral."

side hotel which would other-

No Consciousness

The Attorney General: "Was

this perhaps a case where you,

you could some of the benevo-

Mr. Beleher! "I would ask you

him - - £50,000

£100,000 or any other sum to

put Shermans' pools out of

husiness or that they made

clear that they would like

Shermone put out of business:

He denied that his decision to

withdraw a prosecution against

Shermous football pools against

the advice of his officials was

"another example of doing

against him.

London, Rocamber 19. After his wife had burst into tears and staggered from the witness box at today's session of the inquiry into alleged corruption in Gavernment circles, Mr. John Belchor, Parliamontary Secretary to the Board of Trade, returned to the witness box to continue his evidence.

until they receive additional Recalled, Mr. Belcher admitted that Stanley once gave him one or two bottles of whisky. The Attorney General, Sir Hartley Shawcross, suggested to him that Stanley's flat "was a regular port of call, where you could get free drinks and, if necessary, take it away.

Mr Belcher agreed this was minutes in the witness box. called Sherman's

Sir Hartley suggested that it was explained that stu-Stanley's generosity had made passed the official government it very difficult for Mr. Belcher examinations before they came not to meet him and his busito this country to study at ness associates when Stanley wanted him to do so,

Mr. Belcher: "Yes, I will grant of denials, indicated that he did of Trade. The Chinese Consulates in New York and San Francisco that, but on the other hand, I not know the Sherman brothers have been instructed by the Em- think it must be granted that or Stanley, had never met them, bassy to arrange grants, loans the fact' I saw his business as- had no knowledge of the prosecusociates did not of necessity tion, and had received no money About 250 students wholly mean that his business associates in connection with the matter, supported by the Chinese gov- would get what they were seek- When Mr. Belcher was reernment have been granted in- ing, even if in one or two cases called to continue his evidence, he said "any friendship that creased funds to meet the results it appears they did."

existed between myself and of the currency reform. The Soskice Recalled Mr. Belcher's evidence was Stanley was in no way at all the Chinese military crisis or interrupted for a second time dependent on any hospitality or that the government had cut off when Sir Frank Soskice, the generosity, in the form of gifts, Solicitor General, spent two shown by Stanley."

Last year attempts at West-

ed upon by young Burmans wise not have been granted .

cut off with expertly wielded were repaying in the only way

snipers" down lonely streets where I to believe that there was never

waiting accomplices bent them up. at any time any consciousness of

The girls had a rougher time doing something that was

But the girls counter-attacked lence of Stanley?"

ernising hair styles was frown-

with old-fashloned ideas. Girls

with modern hairdo's were

waylald on street corners.

Bangs and pompadours were

swiftly. Decoys lured "hair-

monks tore the offending jackets

Rangoon, December 11.

upon "The Bosom"—and Police Chief Aung

(sarong, to you), an aingyi (or jacket) and a

scissors.

The jacket is made of flimsy | This is not the first time Burm-

material. With the passing cae girls have been discouraged

years, it has grown steadily from adopting more modern

Mr. Belcher agreed that Stanley had paid for dinner and for drinks when they visited dog tracks together and sometimes for his admission. Xmas Present

He said he thought Stanley's present of a valuable eigarette ease was intended as a Christmas present. He said Stanley had suggested taking him to a West End firm of toilors which he sald he had acquired or was about to acquire after Mr. Belcher had jocularly drawn Stanley's attention to eigarette burns on his trousers.

Mr. Belcher insisted he gave The Attorney General re- Stanley ration coupons for the

The Attorney General asked monny to the Bolleitor General Mr. Belcher if it was not a very in connection with a preseque awkwird position to have to retion, of Sherman's football ceive gifts which he could not return except perhaps by way Sir Frank Soskiec, in a series of his good offices at the Board

Mr. Belcher, said that he assumed that Stanley was a hustness executive of some kind but he did not make any onquiries. He denied that Buntey had complete access to him

at his office. He did not think he had ever refused to see Stanley but when he did come it was by previous arrangement by telephone. He recalled only six people introduced to him by Sinnley who subsequently asked him for assistance. He regarded every conley gave him a "fairly valuable" tract with business men as use-

cigarotte case. He said Stanley ful to his official duties. Mr. Beicher, said he refused to gave him a suit for which he discuss business with Sherman when he met him at Stanley's When the Attorney General flat, but he did not assume from closely questioned Mr. Belcher Sherman's arrival while he was about these coupons, witness there that Stanley was a "consaid: I am afraid that however tact man."

Shocking Story

ant not willing to secept the im- Questioned on the decision to plication that receiving gifts withdraw the prosecution of from a close personal friend Shermans pools, Mr. Belcher said the final decision was left. Mr. Beicher added: "One to him, but he did not ask for dges not use one's position as this responsibility and it was Parliamentary Secretary to the not a welcome one.

The Board of Trade solicitor Board of Trade to repay kindnesses by doing something that held the view that the prosecution should be dropped, Mr. Mr. Belcher agreed that his Belcher said, but he agreed that intervention had led to the issue there was weight on departmental of a licence for work at a sea- advice against dropping it,

Mr. Beicher, referring to the birthday party which Stanloy gave for him, said: "if i had heard, the shocking, story which I did subsequently, Hear on another occasion, would I have gone to the birthday. party?"

The Attorney General: "Unless indeed that story had been true." Sir Hartley added that if it had been true that might have. been why Mr. Belcher Went to the party-because there was no reason to stay away, and because, he wanted to discuss matters football pool promoters over with Stanley.

Mr. Belcher: "I am not going to comment on that."

Mr. Benjamin Pearlman, the next, witness, was rebuked by the chaleman of the Tribunal, during an examination on his business activities: "I am going to, have the truth from you and no more nonsonse," Justice Lynakey said. Pearlman denied Stanley had

something for Stanley for one of his friends."—He said Stanley approached him to underwrite shares of a Manchester firm but did not raise the Sherman prosehe agreed he asked Stanley for culion with him. shares in Shermans pools, He in-Mr. Beicher denied that he attended a birthday party arranged tended placing these shores and by Stanley after he had learned getting a commission.
that allegations were being made. The Tribunal then adjourned

until Monday.-Reuter.

Loans of up to \$100 will be given to those who wish to stay money from home. Self-Supporting The spokesman said the currency reform has sharply reduc-By Britain ed the amount of money formerly available to the students. It

was emphasised that the plan covers only those students classi-The move to proclaim King fled as "certified self-support-Abdullah of Transjordan as ing." King of the United Hashimite Kingdom to include Arab. Palestine was a desperate attempt by Britain to regain her lost position in the Middle East, the Egyptian Opposition press

said today. Arab Lengue members are and transportation to China. next Monday's meeting of the tion of a "United Bashimite

The Wafdist "Saw El Umma,

"The comedy played by Trans-Jordan could not have adopted Present-day-Miss Burma is laying heavy emphasis

shorter. Today the nearly styles. Palestine have always been bitterly opposed by the Mufti of Jerusalem, Al Haj Amin Husselpt, who has considered himself Patestine's uncrowned king.--

SEVEN WORKERS

Topeka, Kansas.

A series of explosions rocked The police chief here, disinjuring 17: - Associated garment in order to give more troduced. Seandalised Buddhist

CRYSTAL

He said: "In future you will off their wearers and horsewhip-

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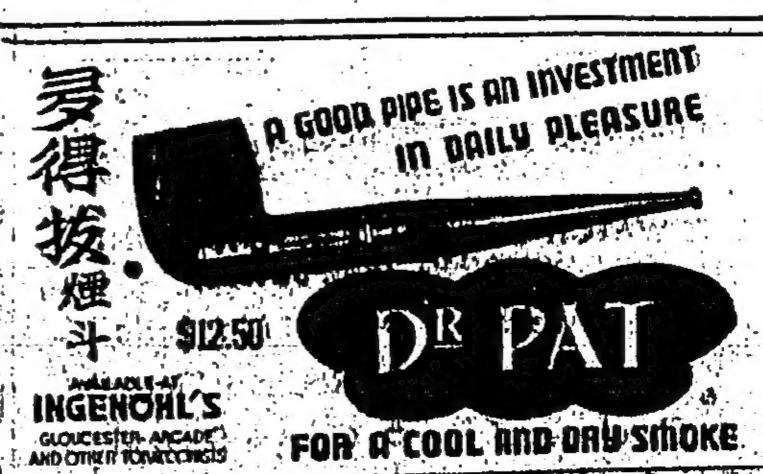
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formed Listeners' Association. Simon of Wythenshawe, chair- inthem. man of the B.B.C., Lord Cralgavon says: "The B.B.C. is pursuing a sustained policy of presenting Russia, Communism and revolution in a sympathetic light."

Lord Simon's reply is a denial of bins in the Home services (with which I am in full agreement) and the assertion that it is not in the B.B.C.'s province to make comments. Their task is to ensure that British listeners have current affeirs fairly represented according to their importance,,

'Wasting Money Lord Craigavon makes these

further criticisms to me: The B.B.C. is inasting public money (approximately £15,000 a year) in maintaining a service in Russian which is either futile and inept in content or which gives the impression that Britain feels only the greatest friendship and respect for Russia.

sympathics which colour the miks pulling of punches put out to Russin.

newspaper articles and quotations from political speeches, the BBC makes no direct criticism of such issues as the Berlin blockade, the Russian wives problem or the Russian assertion that the war was won by the U.S.S.R. simple-

honded. Mr. Kenneth Adam, Hend of B.B.C. Publicity, in a letter to me, emphatically denies each of these

charges. He adds: "The motive of BBC broadcasts to Russia is to explain our national point of view and way of life. This is done by news bulletins compiled, without suppression or distortion, by commentators who analyse current events in the light of British opinion, and by reviews of the British Press.

"No attempt is made to disguise the very wide measure of support in Britain for the Government's foreign policy, or the strongly differing points of view on internal policy."

To strengthen the B.B.C.'s case Mr. Adam has taken the unusual course of making available to me lighting. a complete specimen week of in its anxiety to present all shades B.B.C. Russian service staff of 31 public scrutiny, and I cannot see dated November 7 to November of opinion in this country has not announcers, producers and execu- on what grounds the Russian ser-13, 1948. I will summarise my at time gone too far.

What is the truth behind the impressions under four headings. "Red blas" at the SURPRISE that broadcasting for November 7 should open with the The subject is given new im- words: "Today, on the 31st portance by a series of outspoken anniversary of the October Reallegations made by Lord Craiga- volution, we are sending greetvon, President of the recently- ings to our listeners in the Soviet Union." This wes followed by the In correspondence with Lord playing of the Soviet national

Pointless—

I was equally surprised to see that Marshal Timoshenko should be quoted by the B.B.C., to an all-Russian audience in the same broadcast, as saying: "The Soviet

By Jonah Barrington

Army must continue to preserve

preparedness." What point is there in the Britain. BBC, telling the Russians what they have been told thousands of times by their own (adio and

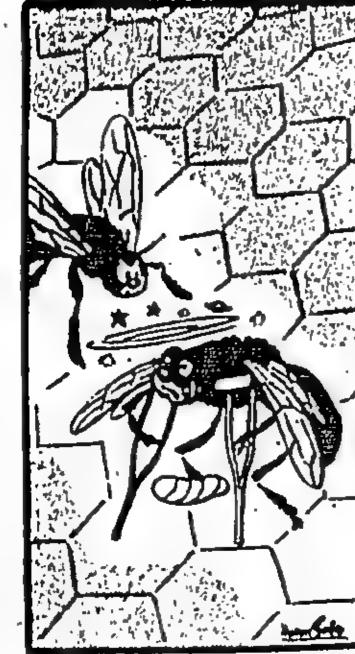
APPRECIATION of the B.B.C.F leaders are "very parrow in their fair and equitable presentation of outlook and have little Socialist world news and opinion concern- theory." Many of the B.B.C's Rus. ing Russian affairs whether crihave strong Soviet Heat or otherwise. There is no

There are constant references 3 Apart from extracts from to the Berlin sir-lift, giving detrals of the numbers of planes employed, tonnage, &c. The JUNO talk, are given wide cover-

> PERPLEXITY over some of the subjects chosen for talks. What Russian listener, for instance. going to risk the charge of being-"Westernised" for the sake of hearing a B.B.C. talk on lithography at the Victoria and Albert Musum, or the London motorshow (with mouth-watering deseriptions of the new models), or the origin of a University "rag"?

----to-the-Point----

pacticular week's talks that I was Ros was the chosen band on No- as they hold they keep to themshown were an exposition of the vember 10), hoping that they selves. military and political consequences | eventually hear the news, of atomic energy and a Parliamentary report in which Mr. W. "have in fact been the only way J. Brown, Independent M.P. for in which the Russians have been Rugby, was quoted as saying; able to hear the full case of the "The Russian Government is Western Powers on the Berlin March, 1946, there has been a much worse than any other, blockade issue." Stalin is trying to get all the fruits of war without any of the von's case not proven. He sees



Communist - controlled cells!

Phrases are used which, at hough innocent enough in their context are capable of being lifted a chief and complete military by the Russians for propaganda purposes to the detriment

> Such a phrase occurred in book review recently when speaker told the Russians that many of Britain's present Labour

Who Listens?

Now, what are the B.B.C.'s difficulties in maintaining this service? Firstly, they have no idea. how many Russians are listening -if, indeed, any-or whether it is a crime for them to listen. It is thought that the service is getting through at good strength, and it is hoped that the Soviet intelligentsin is interested. Secondly, the B.B.C. is debarred

from having an editorial opinion of its own, which inevitably gives lukewarm flavour to its output. Thirdly, any attempt to "hot up" the service might lead to Russian jamming. Therefore the B.B.C.'s aim is to woo Russian Histeners, as far as possible, with For more to the point in the talks and dance music (Edmundo guidance, and such political views

"Our bulletins," says the B.B.C.,

all the obvious errors but none of | Why? Other B.B.C. services DOUBT as to whether the B.B.C., the obvious difficulties. The have to bear the flerce light of tives at Bush House, London, vice claims exemption.

Ruhr recently they pand ragged trousers told me the . The unions' demands are three-

WHY THE GERMAN

WORKERS KICKED

tween 180 and 240 marks (£15 set up to distribute raw materials, acreage of rubble in the world, to £20) a month. Over in and they want to share in the Essen a skilled steel worker work of the bizonal Wage and averages up to 165 marks, which Price Control Committee. tised the traditional reast goose is only about £13, and many of dinner, served with apple stuff- his fellow-workers get less. ing and and potatoes roast in

butter, washed down with the There ought, of course, to worked out that the food availhave been a little matter of food involved, but no one ration cards, for a family of four

man restaurant in any German There is a fixed cheap meel served against coupons. But you can have oysters and steak and caviare and chicken and delicious pig's knuckle with sauerkraut in another room without coupons—if you can pay

for it-at £2 per head. Yet last week over 10,000,000 workers in Bizonia came out in eight marks for the food on a the first German general strike heavy worker's ration card, which since 1921 in protest against the most of the men have. rise in the cost of living and the impossibility of making both

best Rhino wine.

ends meet. Somewhere along the line last currency reform has taken the wrong turning and is grinding to 15s. has gone smack. a confused stop.

Poverty Stories

the dirty pitheads and shuttered and the Black Market prices for steel works of the industrial Ruhr. extra fat and protein foods are Everywhere men with burst boots way above their heads.

working under an ex-journalist, Miss A. H. Muclairg, seem to me to be going a conscientious, honest, if not particularly inspired, job. They work, in a nebulous sof of way, under Foreign Office

Yet Lord Cralgavon has performed one important public duty. He has brought the B.B.C. Russian service into the limelight. Since

this service was inaugurated in marked tendency at Broadcasting In general, I find Lord Craige- House to say nothing whatever

ANL

Martin's Day-a same story. They cannot make fold. They want to take part in dren forming long, squealing

area is the miner. He clears be- on the Industrial Working Parties

I went with them into their able, on the basis of 1,800-calorie (the statistical average is 4.1 That goes for almost any Ger- persons per family in the Ruhr)

By Brian Connell

costs 69.75 marks, plus another

This was in the cheapest possible shop. Add another 10 niarks for vegetables, which are Initially incredibly successful off the ration, and without any saures or condinents, and £6

No Extra Fat

For weeks their mengre meat I trudged for hours through ration has consisted of sausage, war scarcity years.

> Rents are between £2 and £3 a month, transport fairly cheap-but a miner must have at least two pairs of boots and four pairs of working trousers a year. and he must put aside at least Europe. £1 10s, a month for these,

cil has just managed to get 2,000 occupying authorities. pairs of boots at £2 10s. a pair and 2,000 pairs of overalls at the ing Powers that the German man cut rate of £1 a pair. They in the street will turn in six. remain unsold because no one months' time for help-and will has money to buy them.

A special allocation of half a ton of coal per family for only 45s, was actually brought to the doors of households in lorries. to blame for the fact that their They came back full because no first essay at self-administration one had the money to buy. great demonstration strike.

the scheme for producing "utility" goods"-based on the British Best paid man in this Ruhr plan. They want representation

> Although agricultural prices and industrial wages are pegged, the German economic authorities have lifted far too many controls co-operatives and and are giving manufacturers far too much freedon.

'foo many people are ge'ling away with teo much, the uniony sey. Aithough the Industrial output has risen by 46 per cent and small traders' turnover by 52 per cent in the past five months, income tax proceeds have risen by only four per cent.

The unions claim that false invoices are siphoning this money off into the manufacturers' porkets, Under Germany's present drastic taxation it is almost impossible to earn more than 1,500 marks a month. Yet here in Dusselderf there are shops with ladies' dresses marked at between 600 and 800 marks.

Headlong To Crisis

Germany is rapidly becoming another France, where everything is available for those who can pay for it and the devil takes the hindmost. As a result the fGermans are running headlong into a crisis which will far surpass anything in the three post-

As an official British report puts It: ."Aithough the food situation in Western Germany today is better than at any time since the war, it will become worse before it improves further, and will continue to retard the recovery of Germany and of

"Fortunately some responsible Germans realise this, and some Krupps, in Essen, still employ even realise that for once the 13,500 workers. The works coun- tault does not lie with the

"But it will be to the occupyturn in vain. The food will have been eaten and there will be no money to buy more."

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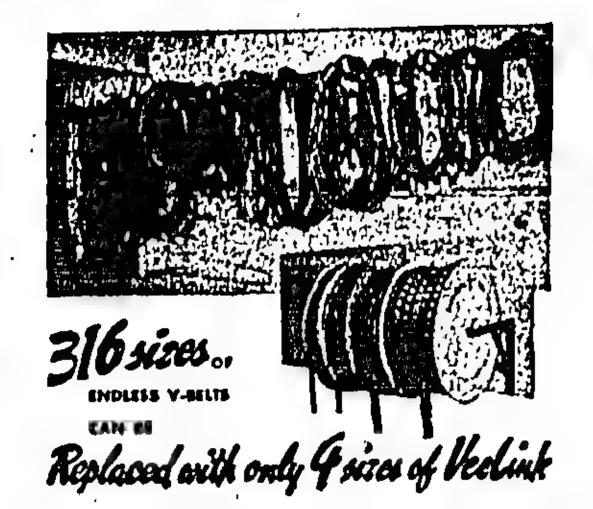
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Limited temporarily to a capa-city of four million spindles, the operators of the "Big Ten" spinning companies, who still monopolise Japanese textile production, are skilfully and energetically adjusting themselves to changing conditions and changing markets.

That capacity is only one-third of their equipment in the high, wide and handsome days of Japanese pre-war sweated-labour

Eyes On Future

But their eyes are on future and they do not believeany more than do realistic Westtern observers here—that any defeated nation's industry can be indefinitely shackled and its production indefinitely restricted by former enemies.

trade, the Japanese Spinning Association has initiated the following reforms: on consultation with foreign

Employed the barter system for exports to non-dollar areas in exchange for raw cotton, foodstuffs and other raw materials; Altered the mixing rate of raw cotton and the count of yarn to increase the variety of goods'

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tion of the quality of goods be- 51,002,000 sq. yds. a year ago to tically deprived of post-war Adopted, wherever possible, is still rising. advanced American techniques

already been installed

The installation of the remain- Fund). ing spindles is officially expected [| plished much earlier,

63,673,000 sq. yds. this year—and powers.

From Richard Hughes, who has just visited Osaka

Japanese have more spindles in- | ceived in Japan since the war stalled than are officially regis- through a private financing tered with the Occupation, To agreement, the knowledge of visiting British ing "extensions" which have not next three months-from been authorised by the Occupa- American companies, To promote the export textile | tion and which presumably me unknown to U.S. Military Government officers.

This is not to suggest that Improved the quality of goods there is a large or even considerable underground textile potential in Japan but only that Occupation supervision is not as precise as it might be and that all cotton textile production is of figures, "facts" and estimates on course labour efficiency and costs, Japanese textiles are subject to revision,

MacArthur's Economic and Scien- were naturally enrolled in war

Export Bid Some of the textile goods manufactured from this will be reserved for domestic

The vital factors in Japanese ton have been insufficient to keep lost in the Occupation purge. If is 4.000 yen or four pounds a ed politicians," the farmer told. At the end of the war Marthis battery of spindles fully em- the executives were competent month. ployed, average monthly cotton and distinguished enough to help fabric production (according to control a national industry, they

This was shortly to be followhave completed or are complet- additional 63,050 bales-in the

needs but most of it will be diverted to export.

There is undoubtedly a shortage of skilled labour, and, as in

traders, several small dispersed ed by 55,800 bales from 101 retrogression would accelerate mills in the Osaka--Nagoya area American companies, and by an the dissemination of Communist

It is clearly child's talk to triumphantly removed from the

here to study Japanese prospects door is in another country. on the spot, agree that, in the Japanese costing and Japanese flowers on their graves. spindle expansion, Japan's ability It runs through the grounds of to recapture world markets Gorizia's general hospital. People area which is now part of plies and of open and amenable longer use it. For them the no longer permitted to do so. markets.

the Orient, are admittedly ved home market. shrinking for Japan as more peo-

tor which affects Lancashire and while Japan was an apprentice American exporters as much as ally in the First World War, she that their present plight will at it affects Japanese,

Besides, Japan can afford to World War.

Applied a far stricter examina- tific Section) has irisen from service and as such are automa-

troubles have come to assume an ideological offensive is a matter for rerious concern.

"Serious-minded apprehensive as to the future of the nation because any further ideologies among the masses."

vorid's markets.

Markets Shrinking

of making shirts instead of buy- in 1921", mourn the Japanese at only a fraction of the prices ing them. trial "know-how" which the rest after the First World War. This tries. of the awakening East lacks. is exactly three years after the While the situation between And anyway this increasing trend Second World War.

On the subject of wages, the Tito's armed troops, run through new frontier. Greatest single impetus to in- president of the Japanese Cotton the centre of the city, cutting it creased production since the Spinning Association, with a in two, separating neighbours, only attend fires in one half of Under the existing American- Occupation was the arrival last nostalgic sigh for the old days, relatives, and friends. which is to say Occupation-plan month (15th October) of the first but nervous resignation to these Half this former Italian city is house just burns down. Important experiments adopted for Japanese cotton rehabilitation, shipments of raw cotton supplied strange democratic union ideas, now in Yugoslavin. People on Gorizin's main railway station the industry is permitted at the by America as a result of the observes virtuously. It is natural one side of a street may no is now in Yugoslavia, atlhough moment (repeat—at the moment) US\$60 million agreement between that workers should demand longer cross the road. They can- the Station Hotel is in Italy. four million spindles, of which a group of American commercial higher wages. But due to the not even send a letter, or make more than 3,000,000 spindles have banks and OJEIRF (Occupied dwindling financial resources of a phone call. Friends may only Japan Export-Import Revolving the spinning companies and in- wave at each other from across appropriate official prices of tex- the wire. An initial shipment, of 14,000 tile goods, the spinning com- The tragedy of Gorizia is the ness with sightseers who sit and to be completed by June next bales (approximately 500 lb, to panies have been compelled to responsibility of the world poli- drink a beer and watch the year but will probably be accom- the bale), now being distributed borrow heavily in order to cover ticians who approved this craziest Yugoslav soldiers a few yards

Apprehensive

the average wage of the cotton Sunday morning, they will not agility for a man of his age worker in a Japanese mill is be given a very enthusiastic wel- hurled himself over the wire in-2,000 yen a month. In addition, comehe or she may live in a dormi- Farmer Leban has a small farm were too surprised to shoot. tory, with food supplied, in con- and the farmyard is divided by The Yugoslav, a lawyer from ditions which the West might re- the frontier. His farmhouse re- Zagreb, told the Italian guards gard as deplorable but which, to mains in Italy, but the cow-shed that he had travelled to the fronthim or her, are often still prefer- is in Yugoslavia. He dare no ler to escape from the Tito reable to village and farm life. If longer keep his cow in the shed, sime. the price of this food and shelter or Tito's troops will steal it. is, generously, assessed at anoother 2,000 yen a month, the much of the politicians who drew by the Italians in the hotel and wage cost of such a worker, even the line. "A drunk at midnight they poured beer and food down Although supplies of raw col- executives have been technically on have been insufficient to been feedback in the services of top-level mands of militant union leaders, at notificiant to been to move.

> causing chaos everywhere. people must use only the back

Experienced Western traders, door of their house, as the front

Those markets, especially in of the urgent needs of her star- a "free zone."

ple learn the complex technique dies. we are back where we were other supplies will sell tax free, But, assured of raw cotton sup- a tear. plies, Japan still has the indus-

towards manufacturing independence in former markets is a fac- observer here to recall that, of the world's craziest frontier.

in the Italian Peace Treaty.

Through The

Iron Curtain

The "Iron Curtain" has brought nearest hospital is more than distress and tragedy to the 80,000 hundred miles away. people of once-prosperous North Recently a person whose home Italian market town of Gorizia. was within sight of the hospital Rusted colls of barbed wire, died of a burst appendix because manned every few yards by he was not permitted to cross the

The town's fire brigade may

Curtain Hotel The hotel, now known as the

"Curtain Hotel," does a big busiplished much earlier.

to Inpanese manufacturers, is the deficits even in current of all post-war frontiers. Britain's away across the barbed wire.

There is no question that the the first such import to be re- operating expenses, of which the Ernest Bevin along with the There was a scene here the wage payment is the major item. Foreign Ministers of France, other Sunday morning when "The fact that recent labour America and Russia must take crowds of Italians began to shout the blame for including this line rude remarks about Marshal Tito,

and to wave mugs of beer and If Bevin or his colleagues ever rolls of white bread- both almost unobtainable in Yugoslavia David Lee Peers -at the Yugoslav guards. The soldiers and the Yugoslav Communisis across the wire shouted

Suddenly in the midst of the uproar, a middle-aged Yugoslav threw his overcoat on the bar-The plain fact is, however, that visit Gorizia, as I did the other bed wire, and with surprising to Italy. The Yugoslav guards

> The man who lost his overcoat Farmer Leban does not think but gained his freedom was feted

The new frontier not only cuts though the town had never been the town of Gorizin, but winds part of Yugoslavia. The poliargue that the old threat of low- through the town like a snake, licians argued and finally compromised on the division of the It divides even houses. Some Liown

Misery

Since September last year The "Iron Curtain" divides the when the new frontier came into absence of the present mild and cometery. People with relatives effect, business in Gorizia has benevolent American check on buried there may no longer put been at a standstill, unemployment and misery rife.

Farmers from the country would be limited only by the who live in the part of the city Yugoslavin used to market their availability of raw cotton sup- which is now Yugoslavia may no products in Gorizia. They are The Italian Government has mark time, while further restor- decided to help this most dising her textile capacity, because tressed Italian city by making it

That means that food, drink, "With only four million spin- clothes, petrol, and scores of cotton-spinners—and sadly shed in other parts of Italy. This will ease living conditions for every-That was 'exactly three years one, and will aid local indus-

the East and the West remains as It is sometimes difficult for the lat present there can be no change The people of Gorizia just hope was an enemy in the Second least be a lesson to future world





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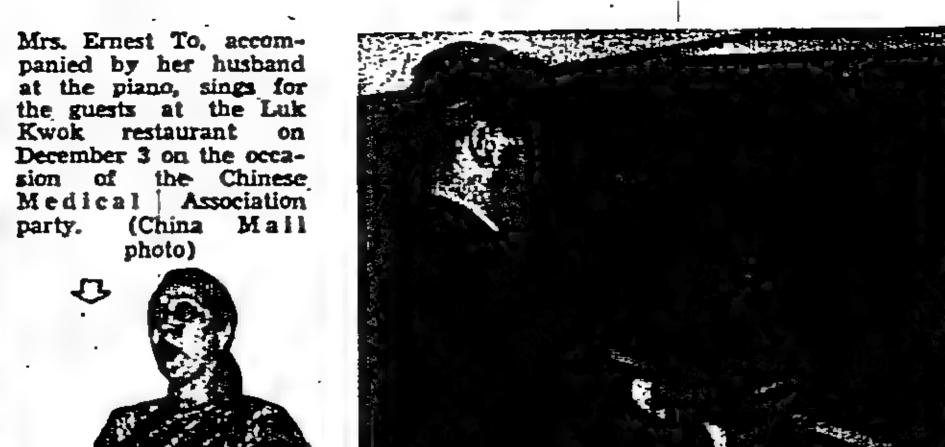
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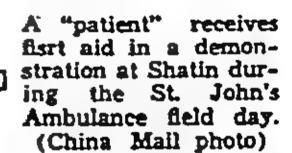
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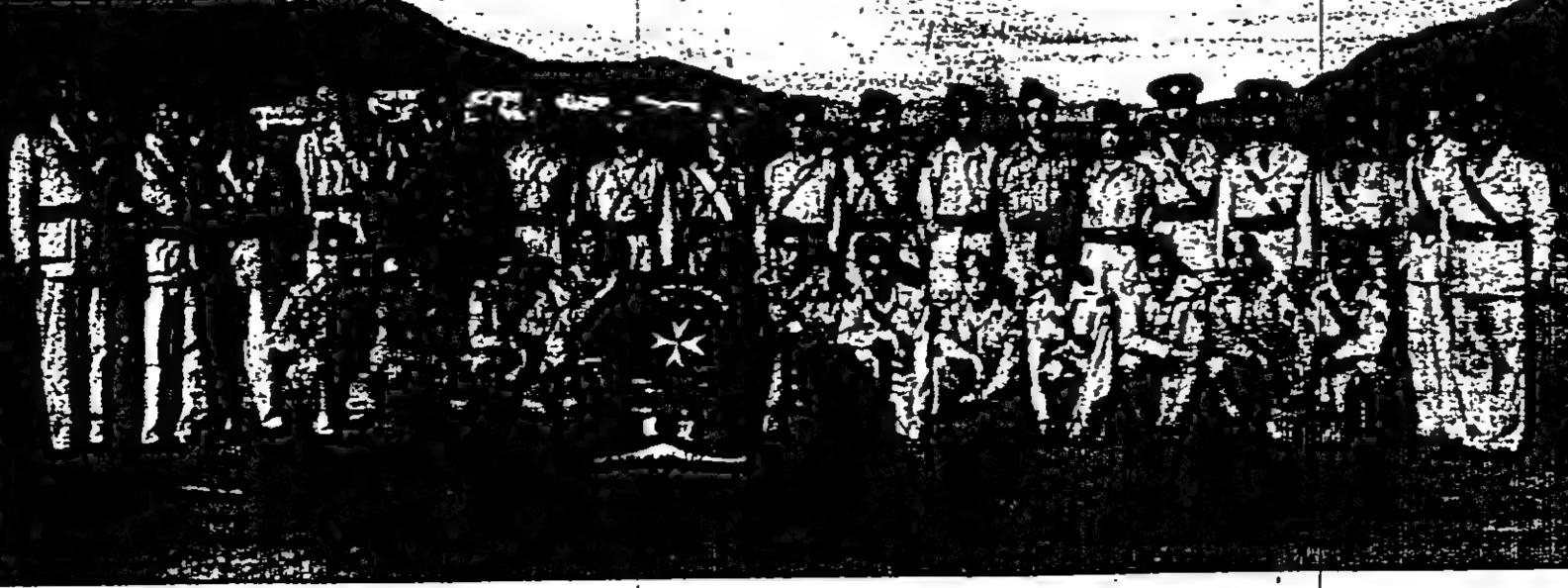
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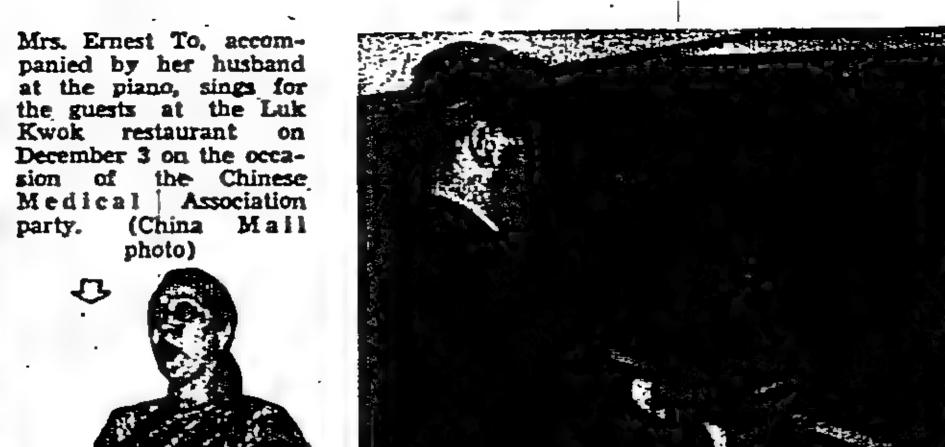
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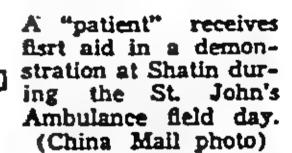
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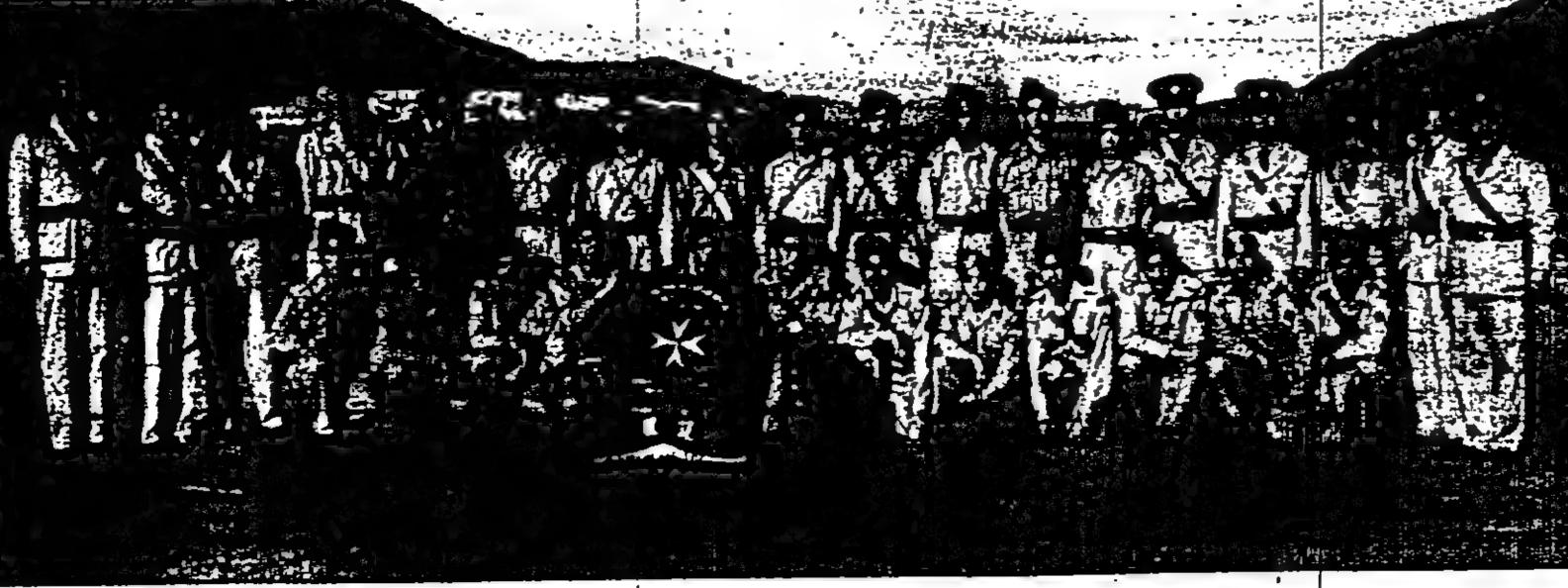
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(Left) The blazing wooden hut on top of Exchange Building, Des Voeux' Road, which brought the fire brigade rushing to the scene with the extension ladder on December 3. (China Mail

"EXERCISE FULTUM" TESTS OUR DEFENCES

In the last week both Police and Service chiefs claim to have learned many things which will serve to make the quelling of any internal disturbances which might arise in the future in the Colony effectively swift. All civil defence units, along with the Police and the three armed services have taken part in operations which, though "mock," have been on a large and realistic scale. Rioting mobs have been dispersed, attacks on essential services thwarted and handits captured. Close co-operation among the various arms has been maintained and in general a great deal of benefit has resulted.



Officers of the Police and the Army discuss methods of dealing with the "strike" situation centred in a Wanchal eigerette factory.



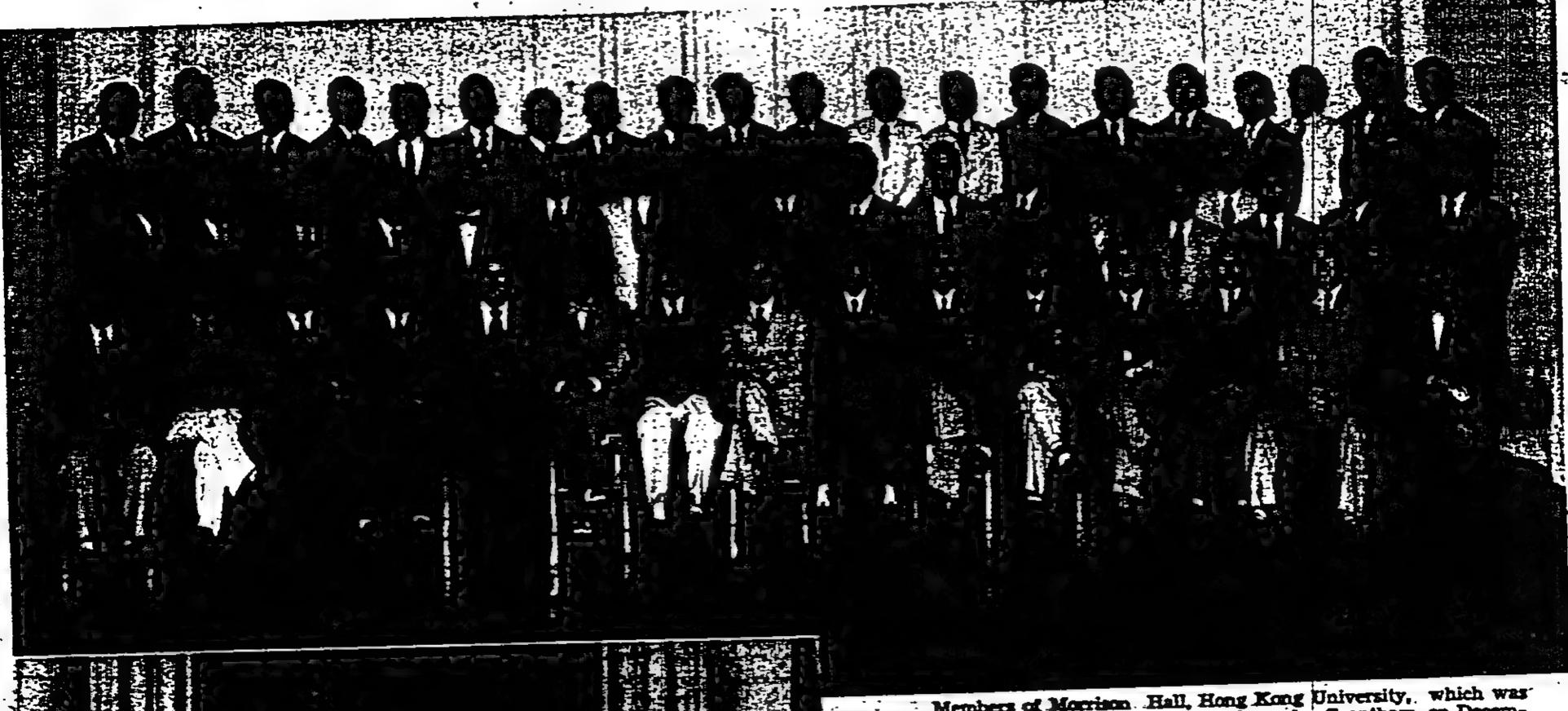
Wearing full battle kit, armed soldiers advance on the supposed strikers to effect a dispersal.



Called out to deal with "strikers" at a eigerette factory in Wan-chai, a police riot squad boards a truck outside the Central Police Station.

Their operation of dispersing the strikers from the vicinity of the Wanchai eigerette factory successfully concluded, troops and police remain on the alert in case of more "trouble."







Members of Morrison Hall, Hong Kong University, which was officially opened by the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, on December 2. In the centre, front row, is the Warden of Morrison Hall, the Reserved F. Short. On his left and right respectively are the Hall Committee's honorary secretary, J. Cheung, and Chairman, E. Low. (Ming Yven photo)



At the Dockyard Recreation Club supper dance: (left to right round the table) Captain R. J. Monk, Miss Hazel Sciater, Mrs. W. R.H. Hughes, Mr. Tait. Mrs. B. Ellis, Mr. W. R. H. Hughes, Mr. B. Ellis, Mrs. M. Saul, Mr. G. Burns, Mrs. G. Burns, Mrs. G. M. Sclater. (Ming Yuen photo)



Joseph's Church of Andrina Margaret, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Plowden of he Asiatic Petro-Company. (Ming Yuen photo)



An interested audience at the Helena May Institute listens to a talk on "make up" by Mrs. Horner, travelling representative of Elizabeth Arden, London. (Ming Yuen photo)

'Confetti-capped Mr. Louis Frank Driver of H. M. Dockyard poses happily with his newlywed bride, formerly Miss Peggy Patricia Read, outside Trinity Church on December 4. (Ming Yuen photo)



LIGHTER

The ideal gift occasion!

B-MARIE MARSHALL

THE MYSTERY OF GREY ROCK CREEK

PART IL

muddy patch beneath the bridge stooped low in his hiding place Quite an easy jump, he thought and wished that he had posses-There was nothing remarkable sion of the hat. Suddenly the in the way the mysterious stran- men saw. it—and was over the ger had jumped. Perhaps, after bridge in one-leap. all, he had merely jumped the bridge to take a short cut somewhere.

beginning to wonder if he had not come on a wild goose chase, at this very early hour! He stepped on to dry land and looked at the singgish trickle of water round the piles of the bridge. Carefully he studied the lost to view. Rob noticed that he ground for footprints. He saw some hoof harks but no footprints other than his own. Perhaps the man had jumped wide, landing gait, on dry land.

-Rob gauged the distance and height of the bridge from where he was standing and was about to turn towards dry land when he saw something shining in a pool of water. Bending down, he looked closer, and saw a small spoon. No doubt it had been lost by some picnicker. At first he did not think he would bother picking it up, but it looked so bright and new that he decided be would take it home.

Putting it into his pocket, he searched again for footprints and found many of them. Obviously, Grey Rock Creek bed was quite a thoroughfare! The sloping ground Africa. He was a great hunter. to the right showed a tiny track on up the other slope on the other side.

The early morning sun glinted on the water, transforming moddy holes into patches of jewel-like beauty. The champs of grass and and bushes, glistening with dew, took: on a delicacy that they knew kt no other time of the day. The air had a fresh, bush tang about it that caused Rob to inhale deeply.

... Realising that he had a long walk home before breakfast and school, he was thinking of giving up his search until he and Lionel would map out the locality together, when his eye caught sight of a man's hat hanging on a bush. His eyes opened wide. A new hat! That was not the sort of thing anyone would throw away, surely!

Rob was on the point of stretching out his hand to take the hat from the bush when he became aware of a tall figure standing on the bridge. Quickly he moved into a clump of high bushes and watched, his heart beating quickly. Something about this man told him that here was the man Lionel had seen the day before.

SORT OUT THESE

Do you know some of the capitals of the different countries in this world? Well, try and see how many you know.

For answers, turn the page round.

(1) Ghnesenocp, (2) Mreo, (3) Bosnil, (4) Knignna, (5) Siapr (6) Thines, + (7) Pfickharo, .(8) Chaorathu, (9) Nebre, (10) Nehlir.

Jumbled Words Answers koff, Bacharest, Berne, Berlin. Nanking, Paris, Athens, Einst-Copenhagen, Rome, Lisbon,

Honour certificate to Winnie Read aged 15, of 23, Lock Road, Kowloon.

The man leaned over the rel of the bridge and seemed to be Rob landed on his feet in a searching for something. Rob

Fascinated, Rob saw the man approach the bush and snatch up the hat and ram it into the front The schoolboy detective was of his coat. So this man had lost the hat and had returned for it

> -Rob peered through the bushes. The tall man hurried up the slope to the right and was soon was wearing a dark suit and a black hat and that he appeared to walk with a quick, shuffling

The schoolboy detective knew that he would recognise that man again anywhere. He came out of the bushes, annoyed that he had let so valuable a clue as the har escape him, when he heard a voice call: "What are you doing. here?"

(To be continued.)

Once I was walking with Uncle Peter through forest in

After walking for several miles, that disappeared in the rocks, I laid down to rest, while Uncle mud and water, and continued | Peter went deeper into the forest to look for water for his dog Herbert.

> Suddenly, I heard the bark of Herbert, then I turned around and saw two lions coming behind Uncle Peter. At that moment I was so frightened that I gave out a loud scream. When Uncle Peter heard me screaming, he turned around to see what was happening, but to his surprise he also saw now that two lions were following him. Quickly, he took his hunting knife out from his pocket, and fought with them.

> Uncle Peter threw his hunting knife at one of the lions and stabbed it to death.

When the other lion saw what he had done, he became more flercer than the first. He sprang at Uncle Peter, who was luckily quick enough and leaped aside and climbed a nearby tree, more dead than alive.

I was scared, but fortunately another hunter from a distance came ridling at full speed, with Herbert as leader. He at once shot an arrow right through the lion's throat and he was killed also.

We were all safe and sound. For this we have to thank Herbert. So we gave him a hearty meal as a reward when we got home.

Honour certificate to Marjory Young, of 1 Julia Avenue, Homuntin, Kowloon.

The Lost Doll

I had a very sweet little doll and I thought she was the prettiest doll in the world. Her cheeks were so rosy, her hair so charmingly curied, and the was beautifully dressed. But I lost her one day as I played in the park and I was very sad the whole week

· Next week I went to the park, and as I was playing I found her. She was terribly changed her paint was all washed away, her legs trodden by cows and her hair not the least curled. But I still think she's the prettiest doll in the world.

· Honour certificate to Barbara Lee of 27 Hankow Road, Kow-

WHO AM I?

My first is in centre but not in enter,

My second is in home but not in .stone:

My third is in run but not in bun. My fourth is in ice-and also in spice:

My fifth is in cold but not in told.

My sixth is in tell but not in well; My seventh is in mix but not in

My eighth is in aim and also in

My ninth is in suck but not in buck. My whole is so simple you'll

know me by now, For I come once a year, and soon will be here.

Christmas. Answer: Honour certificate to Desiree Ozorio, of Kayamally Bldg. 5th. floor, Hong Kong.

A FAIRY TALE

forest some fairies. Each of them | hunters was ted and went in had beautiful wings, and a wishing ring. They danced about all; night around a flaming fire and were very happy. .

Now in all Fairy land there was sure to be a king, and in that forest there lived a king who was a very good one.

Whenever the sun comes out. the fairies have to run away and hide themselves, for the hunters would come and catch then. As their freedom. you see fairies are very useful, and helpful,

One day a very handsome, prince became ill and could not get. well, so he ordered that a brought to him, and he was will- (1.) Kowloon.

Long ago, there lived in a ing to repay the person. The · ifferent directions in seach of a

> The fairles heard the news and went and told their king about it. The king became furious and had a meeting, telling all the tarries to be careful, and should use their wands on those who attacked them. When the prince heard this, he became worse under the spell of the king, so he then set out another order and said that no fairies were to be raught, but to let them have

As soon as the let this order . out he became well and strong again.

Honour certificate to Odetto fairy should be caught and Souza of 33, Hankow Road (1st.

THE GOLDEN CURTAIN MOYES

ASIDE AND AN OLD MAN OF REGAL

















In The Mailbag

ELIZABETH A.R GRANT, a H. C. C. Member, enjoys reading the Children's Herald a lot. Thank you, Elizabeth. Yes, we have accepted your story, it's very good and you will see it in today's issue.

GORDON LOW, you can contribute anything you wish, and in future we will have more crossword puzzles, riddles etc., since you enjoy them so much. I can't promise you we can have a personality column, but I'll try my very best. Thanks, Gordon, for all the ideas and suggestions.

SHAUN MITCHELL, what you told me about your brother is very interesting. Thank you.

H.C.C. Members

NAME: William Arthur Calvert, ADDRESS: Head Quarters, H.K. V.D. Corps, Garden Road, Hong Kong.

AGE: 14. HOBBIES: Model ship building.

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Hong Kong.

HOBBIES: Reading.

NAME: Gordon Cheung.
ADDRESS: 24, Yick Yam Street,
(1st. fl.) Happy Valley.

AGE: 13.
HOBBIES: Collecting stamps
and playing foot-ball.

NAME: Ch'e Mou-ch'ing. ADDRESS: c/o Office of Lappa Customs, Macao.

AGE: 12.
HOBBIES: Going to the pictures.

NAME: Frederick Cox.
ADDRESS: 54, Kennedy Road,
Hong Kong.
AGE: 14.

HOBBIES: Collecting stamps and coins, also photography.

NAME: Amelia Cox.
ADDRESS: 54, Kennedy Road.
Hong Kong.

AGE: 10.

FOBBIES: Collecting stamps and coins, also photography.

NAME: Louise Diespecker.
ADDRESS: Alexandra Building.
Hong Kong.
AGE: 10.

HOBBIES: Sports

NAME: Heather Fay Dalziel. ADDRESS: 10, Kent Road, Kowloon.

AGE: 13.
HOBBIES: Swimming, horseriding, oil painting.

NAME: Margaret Davis.
ADDRESS: 16. Bowen Road,
(top tl.) Hong Kong.
ACE: 10.

HOBBIES: Swimming.

NAME: Charlie Dandridge.
ADDRESS: 16, Granville Road.
(1st. fl.) Kowloon.
AGE: 11.

HOBBIES: Keeping dogs.

NAME: Marion David.
ADDRESS: 43, Conduit Road,
-Hong Kong
AGE: 12.

HOBBIES: Going to pictures, also reading comics and books.

NAME: Maureen Davis.

ADDRESS: 16. Bowen Road.

(top fl.) Hong Kong.

AGE: 12.

KOBBIES: Reading.

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Why has a horse six legs?

Only pure roots ut 2391 (1001)

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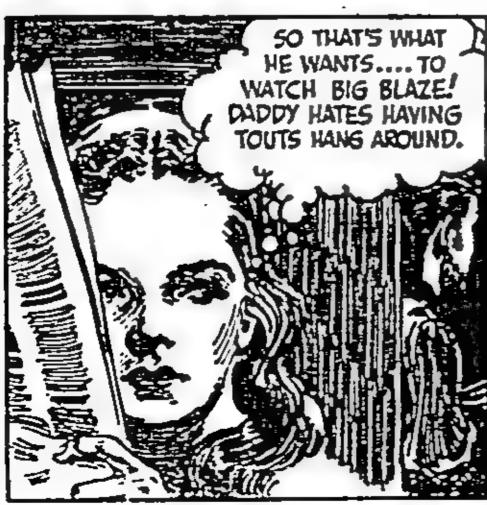






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LOCK AT BIG BLAZE, THE MILES ENTRY IN







AT MY TYPEWRITER

about yourself?

vividly.

ment.

gay or fine.

scription on a building, monu-

ceived, misled, or fail.

reaching below the knees.

Fallible (falibl) liable to be de-

Gaudy (gawdi) showy, vulgarly

Hauberk (haweberk) a coat of

armour formed of steel rings,

More new ideas and suggestions are coming in and I'm so very glad to know that all of you are trying your best to make the Supplement just what you want.

Gordon Low suggested that we should have a Personality Column just like the Teen Age Topics. I think it is an excellent idea, but I wonder if all of you are willing to co-operate with me. That is, are you all willing to write and tell me all

> If you like the idea and will help me to make it a success, write and let me know. Then we'll be able to start the Personality column next year.

This really should prove interesting, as all of you will have. a chance to have a biography of your childhood printed in the newspaper.

By the way, will you all please remember, when you win a money prize, do send the receipt back to me as soon as you received it. Happy days to you all, from

Things To Make

GROCER'S TRUCK: For this truck you need two matchboxes, a piece of cardboard, pins and glue. Glue the matchbox trays together as in Fig. 1. Next, cut a piece of cardboard to form the base of the truck as in Fig. 2. Glue this to the bottom of the boxes and cut a piece of card to make the bonnet of the truck and stick this (Fig. 3) to the projecting piece of the base.

Wheels are from cardboard, cut to shape and fixed with pins. The seat is a chip of wood, glued between bonnet and body of truck. Steering wheel is a disc of cork with a pin through the The matchbox | trays, cut at the ends, are hinged with paper and the truck is then covered with white paper and painted in bright colours.

WORD WISDOM | A Prince Is Born

Ammonol (amonol) a drug A Prince is born, a Prince is used for relieving pain. born.

Barbican (barbikan) a tower or Oh! let us all rejoice, And all the Empire sing his advanced work defending the entrance to a castle or city. praise,

Cancrine (kangkrin) having In one most giorious, Omit the form or qualities of a crab. Comma voice. Some day this Prince will be Depict (depikt) to paint or

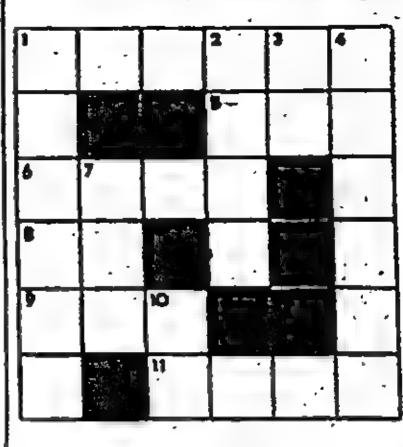
portray; describe or represent our king, So let the church bells send Epigraph (epigrapf) an in-

The tidings of this joyous news The world, from end to end. All people with their national flags,

Their roof-tops carefully 'dorn. They all rejoice; they all give thanks.

"A Baby Prince is Born." Honour certificate to Anne Simons, aged 13, of Cherry Hill Lodge, Homuntin, Kowloon.

COMPETITION



Why are seeds, planted in the soil, like a gate-post? Answer: -s-dord troot four.

Why is there nothing so running down its own works. Because it's slways alamsuy

Why does the collector, at the station, punch a hole in your ticket?

throagh. Answer: SSEC TOA 301 OL

Why is it bedtime - immediately after tea? (tea) is gone, night is nigh. Because T nedw eansoed

Why is the first chicken of a brood like the main mast of a ship?

m front of the main hatch.

Since such a lot of you like crossword puzzles; here is an empty crossword puzzle and there are no ciues to tell you what words to fill in.

For this week's competition I want you to make up a creasword yourself. You can use day word you like and write your own clues. But be sure the words are obvious.

Whe you have finished your crossword and written out the clues send it to me, Auntie Vee. Children's Herald, Windsor House, Hong Kong.

Enclose this slip with your entry, and mark the left hand core, ner of your envelope "Competi-

Post it as soon as you have finished and remember to mark it "All My Own Work."

First prize will be \$10, second prize \$7, and the third prize \$5. There will be three certificates as consolation prizes

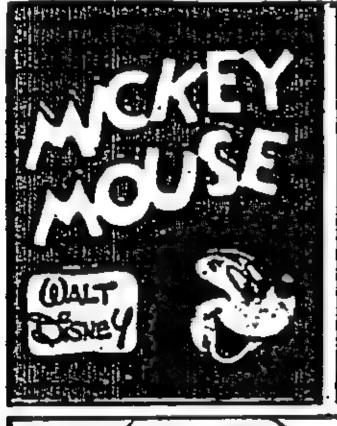
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MY FRIEND

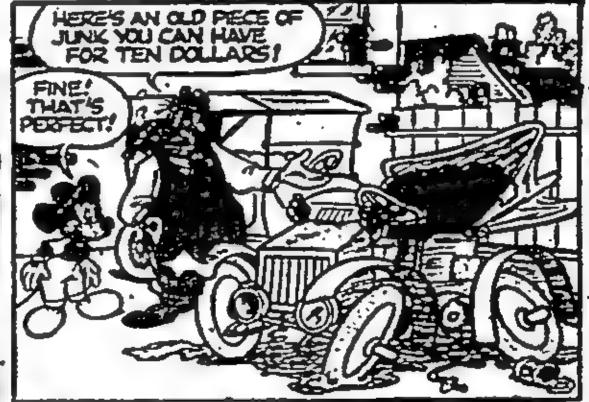
I have a friend whose name is Dawn, She is healthy and strong

But seldom sings a song She won't stay with us for long. Off to Australia she'll be gone.

Honour certificate to Vivian Litton, aged 11, of 23. Cumber-Answer: 911111 8 81 41 9508008 | land Road, Rowloon Tong.











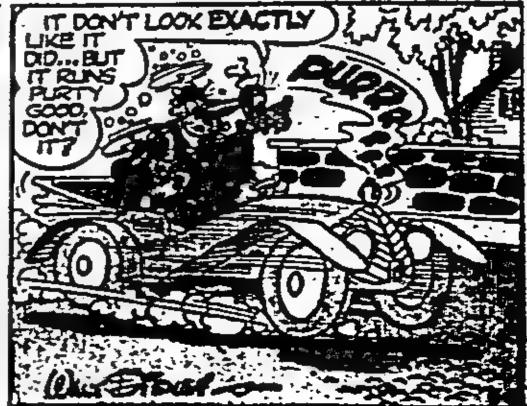


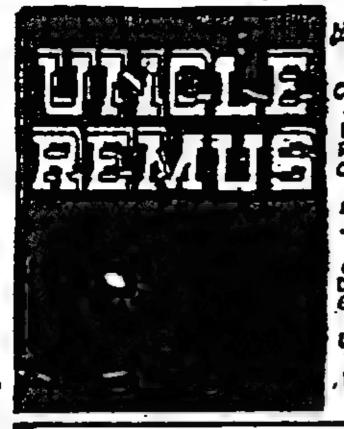












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BIRTHDAY GREETINGS



PERNANDO REMEDIOS Plaza Baltroom, Hong Kong, will be 17 years old on December 14.

GORDON CHEUNG of 24 Yick Yam Street, (1st fl.) Happy Valley, Hong Kong, will be 14 years old today.

On December 15 EDUARDO LIMA of 26 Parkes Street (top fl.) Kowloon, will be 15 years old and KENNEIH WONG, of 14 Duke Street Kowloon will be 11 rears old

On December 17 WINNIE READ of 23 Lock Road (3rd. fl.) Kowloon will be 16 years old.

A very happy birthday to you

Mother: Billy, are you teasing your little brother again?

Billy: No. Mother, He's crying because he dug a hole and now he can't bring it into the house.

Father: Why is it that you are always at the bottom of your class?

Johnny: It doesn't make any difference. Daddy, because they teach the same thing at both ends.



ALBERT EDWARD RODRI-GUES son of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Rodrigues, of 7A Bowen Road Hong Kong had his eighth birthday last week December 6.

WINNERS

There were some very good stories sent in for the Competition and it was a very hard task to decide which ones deserved

Since most of the entries were from the older children, the prizes are \$10, \$7, \$5 and four consolations prizes.

The first prize of \$10 has been awarded to Fanny Ho of 17, Wing Fung Street West, (2nd. 11.) Wanchai. Second prize goes to Dorothy Wong of 10 Chancery Lane. Hong Kong, and the third prize goes to Winnie Read of Lock Road, (3rd fl.) Kowloon.

Congratulations, your stories were very good.

Consolation prizes have been sent to Wendy Yeo of 6, Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong, Roger C. Kemp of 14c, Hillwood Road, top floor, Kowloon, Robert Lang of 9, King's Terrace (3rd, fl.) Kowloon, and the youngest out of all the entries. Sheena Mackenzie of Room 324, Gloucester Hotel.

Some of the stories will be printed in next week's "Children's Herald."

THE VILLAGE ANNUAL FAIR

and went for our early morning brass poles. walk. As we walked up Clapham Hill we saw many bill posters at work, sticking up notices to say the village annual fair was to be held that afternoon in the middle of Edston Village Green, We decided we would go after lunch.

After our walk we had our breakfast, then started to clean the house. When it was spic and span we then went to the grocery to do some shopping. As we were waiting to be served we heard a little boy saying to the grocer, "You have given me half-a-crown too much in change, sir." and saying this he gave it back to the grocer.

He was a poor little boy who lived with his mother in a very small house. His father had been killed in a motor accident, and his mother earned a scanty living by cleaning homes for other people. The little boy wore a very tattered grey suit that was kept together by constant darning and patching.

My mother, hearing what the boy had said, promptly said to him, "Because you were honest and gave back that extra change, here is five shillings to go to the fair on the Green this afternoon." Mother told him in go home and ask permission to come to lunch with us, so we could all go to the fair together.

At three the fair gates opened and the crowd surged in. The jostling crowd and the happy children went to each stall in turn. Not very long afterwards nearly every child carried a brightly coloured gas filled balloon which floated in the air high up on the end of the stiring.

Alistair (the little boy's name) and myself went on the Merry-Go-Round. We paid our entrance fee and booked two horses side by side. One horse was ebony black with a long mane and a flowing tail—the other was a dapple grey one. As the Merry-

One day mother and I woke up | Go-Round started-music began to find the sun shining in our to play and the horses pranced bedroom windows. We dressed up and down on their shiny

Next we went to the shooting galleries where Alistair aimed and won a clock for his mother. How delighted we all were that he had a prize!

Then we went into the tea tent - where we had cream buns and lemonade. After tea we went to see the monkeys and a polar bear. All of a sudden we heard a roaring sound, and looking through the bars of the second cage we saw a golden maned lion. He was evidently very angry at the onlookers as he growled and lashed his tail.

We then moved on and saw a queue of children with bags of buns. By the queue was a notice: "This way to the Elephants." We quickly joined the queue and watched the elephants being fed with buns.

Last of all we visited the punch and Judy show. We laughed at the antics of Punch and his dog.

Alistair having spent half-acrown, asked if he might take the other half-a-crown home to his mother. Mother was very pleased indeed with this, and gave him some more money.

We all then went home after a very happy day. Honour certificate to Elizabeth A.R. Grant, aged 11, of 12c, Car-

narron Road Kowloon.

The two little girls were on

their way home from Sunday School, and were solemnly discussing the lesson. "Do you believe there is a

Devil?" asked one. "No," said the other promptly. "It's like Santa Claus; it's your

father."

table. Hungry Boy: Another bite like i that and I'll be through.

and you will have to leave the

World Spotlight Aeropianes Are Bombing Dingoes

In Hong Kong we love dogs. In Australia, the Government are spending thousands of pounds to kill them.

Aeropianes are now systematically dropping "bombs," consisting of clusters of meat baits poisoned with strychnine, over thousands of square miles of Queensland and the Northern Territory.

It sounds a shocking business and the Government's experts hate doing it.

But these are wild dogs, known here as dingoes, and they are killing thousands of lambs and caives that would normally be exported to Britain. They do not even eat their prey. They just mutilate the carcase and then make another kill.

Dingoes look like lean and hungry German shepherd dogs. But they are native to Australia, untameable and ferocious.

One of the highlights of a trip to British Guiana is a visit to the manatees (or sea-cows) which live in a pond in the Botanical Gardens.

The manatee is a grass-eating mammal, similar in shape to a whale, with a spatula-like tail. It is perfectly harmless to humans, growing to a length of about 13 feet, and weighing about 700 lb.

Tradition says that the female of the species was the origin of the sailor's mermaid stories.

There are dozens of them in this pond (reputedly the only ones in captivity), but when first you go to its edge there is not a sign of life.

But at a whistle there will be Mother: Another bite like that ripples, and soon the first bristly moustached snout pokes itself out of the water, swims quickly towards you and eats grass from our han.

PIGMY CARTOON



"Sand my congratulations on the want piece of red flannel."

Indigestion?

. . Here's something worth knowing



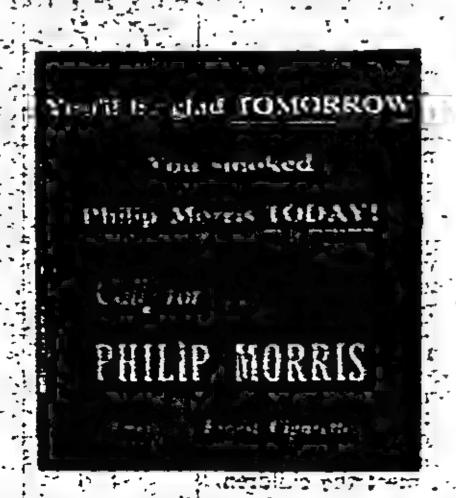
in your stomach. This often leads to frequent attacks of flatulence, heart-burn and other stomach disorders. What you need is a reliable remedy like 'BISMAG' (short for 'Bisurated' Magnesia) because it has a neutralising effect and assists the normal functions of the stomach. I recommend 'BISMAG' to all sufferers from these stomach troubles. Try it today, you'll find it brings you quick relief.

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TOUCH OF GENIUS

THE force of genius, activated presumably by some motive of compensation, occasionally seems to exert
itself so as to impel an additional.
urge. The normal motives which persuade a man or woman to paint,
write or compose music are generally
attributable to either some innate
desiro to create an artistic composition whatever be its ultimate form
or eise from motives of purely financial interest.

When the latter cause is the predominant interest, it is not untrue to say that the result is generally devoid of that indefinable quality which characterises a composition written with no other thought in mind than that of committing to paper some idea urged on the composer by the still small voice of genus smouldering within.

EVEN when a composer of repute has been producing music for some long time, it does often happen that once, twice or maybe more, he effects something which is habitually associated with his name. The outstanding success of some particular piece of music is not wholly due to any fortunate fluxe that the music has captured the mood of the moment or that it appeals to popular taste. Public opinion is too fickie a jade to set up as any standard of measurement; so it is the root causes he deeper than this.

As illustrative of this point, two examples at least spring quickly to mine; mascagni's opera "Cavaileria husticana" and Leoncavello's equally well-known work "It Paguacci" have long enjoyed tremendous popularity both with the dilettante and with the general public. Indeed, without the support of the latter, opera would be doomed to a failure more gloomy than its present state of comparative disregard in spite of State subsidies and support.

IT is difficult to define just what is the quality about "Cav. & Pag." which has so caught public imagin-"Cavalleria" is full of lovely atton. metodies, supported by a first class libretto, unspoilt by the tortuous twists of legend abounding in "Rigotetto" and "Trovatore," for example. Possibly the simplicity of the story first attracted Mascagni's attention. Whatever the cause, he has turned out a miniature masterpiece, the popularity of which has remained undiminished over the last 60 or 70 years. Much the same considerations apply to "Pagliacci," only here I would suggest if it was not so much the supplicity of the libretto which, appealed to Leoncavello as the dramatic passibilities thereof.

have ever equalled the heights they achieved in these two works of theirs. Indeed nothing is ever heard of "Nero" or "Iris," two other operas by Mascagni, which seems to lend point to my opening remarks viz, that some special dispensation of genius was endowed to the composition of "Cavalleria" and "Pagliacci," which was never again manufested.

OMAR Khayam had some such sort of idea when he wrote in the "Rubayait," "The moving finger, having writ moves on."

QUIZ ANSWERS

- 1. Griffiths Park Zoo in Southern California.
- 2. Forty-nine pounds.
- 3. Exercise Fultum
- 4 The Klangya, proceeding from Shanghal to Ningpo.
- 5. Justice Jackson
- 6. Kidney trouble.

The calibre of the man (or woman) is also a guiding factor, however, of prime importance, I suppose it would be true to say of any musical composer that some of their work must be classed as poor in comparison with other compositions where the heights of true genius have been touched. To imagine that Beethoven say, could always aspire to the supreme quality of his music in the "Choral" symphony or that Schubert could equal the touching beauty of the "Unfinished" would be to ask too much. Deviations from such standard are but indicative of the fallibility of mortals and of their inability always to sustain the pace they themselves set.

WAGNER broached a new realm of art-form ' when he embarked on the composition of "Der Ring das Nibelung." In doing so he was expressing, in new fashion, ideas which were in his mind. He had therefore no preconceived notions or precepts to which adherence was necessary, and he afforded himself consequently a wider canvas on which to paint his musical picture. Whether the "Ring" be classed as Wagner's supreme achievement or not, it cannot be denied that something urged him on to make exceptional effort. It would be rash to suggest that he achieved his object wholly, but one can go so far as to say that with the music of the "Ring" completed. Wagner did not again attempt anything quite similar. From this fact it is reasonable to suppose that Wagner had completed his answer to the exceptional efforts demanded of him by the voice of genius.

SUNDAY

AS usual, the two-part Symphony Concert comes on the air at 9.05 p.m. and the second part commences at 10.16. This feature has been offering some very fine music and to-night's programme noted hereunder are no exception to this general observation. Music to be heard is:—

"The Wrechkers" Overture—Dame

Ethel Emyth

3rd Pianoforte Concerto—Beethoven
Symphony 32 in G—Mozart
Symphony 4 in F—Vaughan Wil-

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Serenade to Music-Vaughan Wil-

Dame Ethel Smyth must be reckoned as one of the few women musicians who have made a name for themselves in English music. Her opera "The Wreckers" seldom sees the light of day now, although Sadler's Wells put on a revival just before the last War. She is a conductress of no mean ability, and some of her recordings of her own works are extraordinally

The No. 3. Pianoforte Concerto of Beethoven's, with Artur Schnabel at the key-board, promises to be the "piece do resistance" of the whole evening's programme. Schnable has come to be particularly identified as an authoritative interpreter of Beethoven, and with recordings having attained their present state of almost perfection, one cannot hope to hear Beethoven under more favour-

THIS particular Concerto is typical of the traits which make Beethoven so justly known for the solidarity of his music. The support given to the soloist by the orchestra is no mere accompaniment. It is part and parcel of the whole, with the solo instrument weaving in and out in the complex pattern which Beathoven was so ably capable of expounding.

able conditions.

The Mozart Symphony, too, cannot fail to afford the utmost pleasure and satisfaction. His music is always easy to listen to, and the discerning listener will trace that characteristic so typically Mozartian in this Symphnoy—a light delicate structure on which is superimposed an abundance of graceful airs and variations. No Mozart music can ever fail to please, although, to be sure, much depends on the standard of musicianship of the orchestra.

Contributed By "MUSETTA"

The Vaughan-Williams compositions which comprise Part II of the Concert, are notable for their robust sturdiness, although "Serenade to Music" probably eludes this embracing description in part. As the dozen of living English composers, Vaughan Williams never fails to find something interesting to say, and having found it, to express it in musical terms such as to impress themselves on the listener's mind.

MONDAY

AT 8.10 p.m. on Monday, Father Ryan, whose recent series of talks on "The Orchestra" finished but recently, gives a short talk on the "Last Quartettes of Beethoven." The interesting approach which Father Ryan made to his previous subject leads one to expect a similar attack on this new subject, which provides wide scope for interesting and revealing opinions.

At 9.30 p.m. the "film" to be heard is "Woman in the Hall," with Ursula Jeans, Cecil Parker and Jean Simmons, which was recently showing at the Lee Theatre. Jill Raymand acts as story-teller. The merits and demerits of radio-versions of films have been under review in these notes before. Jean Simmons, the young English actress whose portrayal of Ophelia in "Hamlet" won her such plaudits from the critics, seems to be the brightest star in the British film firmament for many a long day. This particular presentation should be worth hearing, especially by those who saw the film and indulge in a comparison of the two.

TUESDAY

Outstanding in Tuesday night's features is a performance of Chaussau's "Poeme," by Yehudi Menhuin, the brilliant violinist, on the air at 8.30 p.m.

Menhuin, to my mind, ranks with the finest of violinists, and never fails to put over a really fine performance. This composition of Chaussau's is one of the few by which his name is still remembered and provides a good field for the soloist in which to show off his paces. If not amongst the really great music for the violin, at least it is music which provides food for thought. It is also a composition which is seldom encugh heard and the opportunity to hear it played by a soloist of Mennuin's capabilities is not to be missed. This feature cannot fail to be good.

WEDNESDAY

At 9.25 p.m. on Wednesday "The Old Lady shows her Medals," is being featured. Fay Compton played the lead in this play in London very successfully. It was featured by the B.B.C. some two or three years ago, and it makes exceptionally good listening.

Following on at 10.45, Beethoven's Sonata in A. for 'cello and piano is to be given. Quiet music to send the listener to bed in peaceful frame!

THURSDAY

At 8.30 p.m. on Thursday there is a Mozart Concerto to be heard. Again, this delightful music, not to be missed on any account. It would be difficult to name music which is "easier" to listen to than the Mozart Concertos. They all (to my mind at least) seem to develop so logically, yet, at the same time, never give an impression of a pre-determined plan.

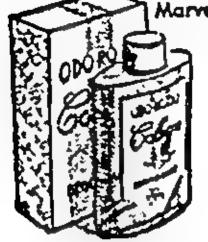
If one requires more exciting music, then listen to Smetana's "Bartered Bride" Overture at 9. p.m. played by the London Symphony Orchestra, under Bruno Walter. In the same programme, Elgar's "Bavarian Dance" is to be heard, conducted by the Composer.

FRIDAY

A recital by Kreisler and Rachmaninoff is on the air on Friday at 9.35 p.m., when a programme of Bach, Beethover and Rachmaninov is to be given. This feature will repay attention, for it is seldom that two such artistes as these are heard in combination.

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Why The King Must Rest By A Harley-Street Consultant

The illness from which it has been announced the King is suffering is uncommon. But it is one which might attack anyone.

And the explanation for the necessity of the prolonged rest which has Leen advised is not difficult for anyone to understand.

The arteries are the only means by which the blood can circulate. It is by these channels that sufficient oxygen is carried from the lungs to the rest of the body. In the same way waste products are removed from muscles and other organs to be eliminated by lungs and kidneys.

If any particular vessels become diseased and narrow or blocked, then there must be an impairment of the circulation.

This, it would appear from the offi-

cial statements, is what has happened in the case of the King. It was in 1908 that Leo Beuger first

described a disease known as "thrombo angiitis obliterans" and which has since carried his name. In this condi-

tion there is inflammation affecting the deep arteries and veins of the limbs. One or both legs may be affected; only rarely does the trouble extend to the arms as well.

Thrombosis occurs, the channels are blocked either partly or completely, and so little blood reaches the area supplied by that vessel.

The disease usually attacks middleaged mon. It is very rare in the famale. The cause is not yet known, though in some cases excessive cigarette-smoking has been thought to excite the trouble.

. The Cause: Strain

It may well be aggravated by prolonged mental and physical strain.

The condition is generally first brought to the notice of the patient by. the onset of pains in the feet and toes after exercise. Then walking a few steps brings on cramp, due to lack of blood to take away the waste products formed by the contracting muscles. This is known as "intermittent claudication."

Later pulsation is lost completely in the vessels of the feet, and cramps persist almost all the time.

The course of the illness varies greatly. But rest is essential.

Some cases respond almost miraculously to modern methods of treatment, and the patient is able to get about again in a few months. But just as with other complaints, this is not al-ways so. It is a matter of awaiting results.

Since the basic cause of the disease is not known there can be no treatment directed to the root of the matter. But remedies which tend to dilate the arteries and thus give a better bloodsupply to the part affected are clearly those which must be tried.

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So far as drugs are concerned claims have been made for the administration of thyroid gland, the injection of certain extracts of body tissues, and the use of nicotinic acid, one of the "B" group of vitamins.

Operation on the arteries themselves is useless because there is no definite single area affected

Modern science, however, has many means of combating such an affection which were not available to patients

even 20 years ago. Until these have been tried and until more is known about the progress of

the disease it is impossible to give any true idea of what the outcome of the King's present illness may be.





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happiness may best be judged by glancing back through the long and dreadful history of leprosy. First established in ancient Egypt, the disease spread through the world in the train of conquering armies—but for thousands of years no effective treatment was known.

Instead, the leper was shunned by his fellows, isolated from all normal life, condemned to days of loneliness and beggary while the fatal disease was left to do its worst.

Only at the start of the present century was a form of effective treatment introduced, and this was by no means without serious drawbacks. The new drug, 'Sulphetrone,' holds greater promise than any previous form of treatment, and may finally enable nine out of ten patients treated to return home and lead a normal life.

Nor does this exhaust the possibllities of 'Sulphetrone.' Experiments have shown that it has an effect against the tubercle bacillus, particularly when given with streptomycin. Trials with it are still proceeding and therefore it is too early as yet to assess its final place in the treatment of this disease.

Our Serial Story

THESE ARE MY PEOPLE

"Couldn't get a bit," said the man at the wheel. "I tried everywhere. Couldn't even get an ounce. It's got me beat. I tried everywhere. You'd think a bloke'd get an ounce."

The men received the announcement in silence. They stood in indecision, finding it hard to accept the fact that it was final. Then they parted. Some walked to saddled horses tethered to the fence, others climbed into jinkers. They did not wave or call goodbye, They went away in silence, each occupied with his own bleak thoughts.

"Come on," said Sam. We climbed back into the buggy and trotted off into mallee. It was midday and the sun was warm. Bluebonnet parrots dropped from overhanging limbs and sped ahead of us down the track. They arrested their fight in a flutter of green and dropped into the recesses of scrub pine and she-oak where we again flushed them chattering with indignation.

We left the bull mallee country and became conscious of the sky. A wedge-tail eagle circled high above the plain. It spiralled lower, searching clumps of scrub for the movement

of a mouse or bird.

Two magpies, like fighter planes attacking a bomber winged up to intercept it. They rose till only the blue sky was above them. The eagle, gliding imperturbably below, did not alter its flight nor cease the quick turning of its head as it searched the ground.

One of the magpies, uttering harsh cries, peeled off and came down in a power dive of beating wings. Only when it was a few yards away from the eagle were its wings momentarily furled. It shot down to what seemed an inevitable collision, but pulled out with a sudden spread of its pinions and swooped up and away again.

From where we sat, far down below, we heard the snap of its bill as it shot

past the larger bird.

The eagle seemed unconscious of the attack. Its uninterrupted glide continued. The second magpie, calling valiantly like its mate, now hurtled down. This time the eagle made a quick, evasive movement as its attacker struck. It dropped one powerful wing and swerved, then glided on as before.

The magpies wheeled and came in from the rear. They dived in turn, keeping up a ceaseless harrying. The eagle rocked as the snapping beaks grazed its head. It was unable to concentrate on the ground. After one furious dive in which the two magpies swooped together, it flapped its great wings and began to rise to a safer height. It became a speck in the sky, and the magpies returned in a long plide and alighted on a straggling gum in which I noticed a nest The male bird fluffed its feathers

and carolled triumphantly. The female, her hend on one side, peeped into the nest, then began preening her

wings. "Them eagles," said Sam, "are seven feet across. A magpie wouldn't be a

foot. It just shows you."

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We crossed an arid flat where bread grass grew like weeds from the bottom of the sea. The spreading stems lay flat on the ground and silenced the wheels of the buggy. It cushioned the iron tyres on its crushed leaves so that we rode without vibration.

To reach the desert country where the lowans built their mounds of leaves and sand we had to skirt a wide salt-pan painted with a colour so vivid it almost hurt the eyes. The pig-face was in flower and fer miles the cyclamen blossoms were open to the sun. The reflected light from the spread of

By ALAN MARSHALL

colour tinged the dark spokes of the

buggy with rose.

"I've known blokes that wouldn't believe that," said Sam, waving his whip to include the far reaches of the salt-pan. "Sometimes, when I'm away. I don't believe it myself, but it's good to know you thought you saw it."

"It is," I said. "Some day I will look back on this day and wonder if. it really was as beautiful as I now know it to be."

"I'd like to walk in it," said Olive, so we stopped and she walked through the flowers while we watched her.

When she returned she said, "Even if we don't find a lowan's nest, it doesn't matter now."

A few miles further on we tethered the horses on the edge of thick whipstick mallee through which it was impossible to drive. We walked through gaps in tangled walls of scrub, following Sam along narrow avenues in the scrub pine and maliee until I grew tired with ploughing through the soft sand that formed the desert floor.

"I'll scout around," said Sam. "I'll call you when I find one. It was here last year, not far from where we are

HOW."

He disappeared, and Olive and I sat down on the sand to rest. In a little while he came back, . treading softly as if loath to break the intense silence of this place.

"I've found one," he whispered. "I roused the hen but she might come back. You two walk on ahead and follow my tracks. You might see her." We started off, walking quickly.

'Take your time," whispered Sam, behind us. "Don't bust yourselves." We walked quietly, following his twisting tracks, until they led us to a gap in the undergrowh. We passed through the gap into a small clearing. There was a quick flurry of wings and a lowan raced into the scrub from where she had been standing on top of her mound.

I had always wanted to see a lowan's nest, not only because of an interest in the bird itself, but because I knew that if I stood in some quiet place where this bird had toiled to build a mound of sand and leaves, I would be able to say with truth, this is

the mallee. The spirit of a place eludes you when you see it from a highway; it retreats from you when you follow it into uninhabited places, but when deep within it, you hear a bird it has sheltered or see a creature it has nurtured, this living thing that cannot speak becomes the link between you and your surroundings.

The cry of a coachwhip bird is the voice of a mountain gully; the flight of a red kangaroo is a voiceless interpretation of the plains, and here, where the hot sunlight was ringed with mallee, the lowan's mound became a symbol of the country of little

trees. I sat down beside it filled with an ecstasy of awareness as if, in the fleeting glimpse of a brown bird, had been given a sign that that which separated me from the mallee had gone.

The mound was about twelve feet across and some three feet high. The clearing in which it lay was swept clean of leaves and twigs. The open spaces between the encircling trees were bare of surface rubbish. The lowan's powerful feet had raked the entire areas as clean as the floor of a home. Brush-like marks in the soft

sand showed where she had used her wings to gather the material for her

The top of the mound was scooped into a shallow hollow. The loose sand lay unevenly in the depression. Sam, kneeling on the side of the mound, scraped the sand away with his hands so that we could see the eggs.

About a foot beneath the surface he uncovered a circular pit with perpendicular sides of sand and leaves. Deep in the pit, arranged in a circle with the large ends uppermost, were nine enormous eggs. How the bird placed them in so orderly a fashion was a mystery. There they lay, packed on end, waiting for the heat of decaying leaves to bring forth feathered babies who would never see their mother. From deep beneath the sand, these chicks would scratch their way upward, feet first, till, with a final kick, they emerged into sunshine. A short rest to dry their feathers and them they would race into the scrub fully equipped to earn their own living. We covered the eggs and left the

mound as we found it. On our way back to the buggy Sam, contentedly happy, allowed himself a trief expression of his triumph.

"Mick doesn't know where there's any mallee hen's nest," he said.

With our next month's ration of petrol we included quite a number of large towns in our canvass for messages. It was difficult to find camping spots within the town themselves, and often we were forced to camp in bleak places on the outskirts for the few days necessary to contact the people familiar with the names of the boys who had joined up from that district.

We always tried to find a spot beside' water even if it was only a pool. Further south we cruised along slowly in drizzling rain, looking for a clump ci trees to break the driving wind which had bowled us along in front of it over

miles of plain.

We decided to risk the sodden earth besido a creek and pulled in under a clump of black box. A reed-bed in front of us was moving with waterhens, and I heard plovers calling from a paddock beyond the road.

The next day was muggy, and in the evening the buzz of mosquitoes was

worse than usual.

We had become accustomed to singed beetles and moths dropping from the swinging lamp on to our typewriters. When some new or brightly coloured insect fell upon us we commented on its appearance, but we now seemed to be on familiar terms with everything that crawled. Olive would stop her typing, and ask nervously, "I wonder will that thing bite?" at which I would look at it carefully and say, "No."

Ants, in mating flights, shed their wings upon our table and floor, and lost bees sometimes buzzed from window to window on sunny afternoons, but they did not disturb us

Mosquitoes usually refrained from biting us while the lamp was alight, and when we at last turned it out the mosquito netting above our bed kept them at bay.

But this time they buzzed round our heads or settled on the walls of the caravan where they stood motionlessly as if waiting to pounce on us. They got into Olive's hair and occasionally I heard her smack her leg.

"The mosquitoes are bad tonight," she said at last. "I wonder where they

are getting in?" I stopped work and we made a search round our fly-wire-covered windows, but they were intact. We blocked the crack beneath the door, but the mosquitoes gradually increased in numbers until it was impossible to write.

We had a consultation to decide on a plan of action. I suggested that, as it seemed to be the light that was attracting them, Olive take the lamp and stand outside, a few yards away from the door. I would then lash round with a towel and they would follow her out.

I' seemed a good idea. Olive unhooked the lamp and opened the door. The wave of mosquitoes that broke upon her made her falter, but she leapt out resolutely, and left me in a buzzing darkress. I went into a convulsive shadow-sparring, more in self-defence than as a partner in a course of action. I was drowning in insect. I heard

Olive gaspig __tside, then her voice: "I'm coming in. There's millions on

me." She bounded through the doorway and slammed the door behind her. The lamp she held was dimmed by the mosquitoes she had locked in the caravan. They filled the air so thickly that a deep breath whipped some into our



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nostrils. There was a constant pattering sound as of raindrops, the noise of of the countiess insects drumming against the ceiling. They settled on our clothes, our hands, our faces.

Swatting with folded newspapers was useless. I set fire to one of the papers I held and made a flaming torch with which I proceeded to burn them as they flew. It was effective, and F sit another one, whipping it to and fro and filling the caravan with smoke and

In one flaming sweep I set fire to the ashes. curtains which fiared more fiercely than the paper. I grabbed them and smothered he fiames in my hands. A burnt caravan would have been an-

other last straw. We soon realised that we were fighting a losing battle, so we turned out the light and retreated to the shelter of the mosquito netting beneath which we undressed in darkness:

Next.day we moved on and camped on higher ground. In the evening we went bird-nesting, our favourite pastime in the spring when our evening meal was over and the sun was still high in the sky. We were not robbers seeking eggs, but friends dropping in to meet the children.

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Programme News

"PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE" James McKechnie will be heard as Professor Eccles in Professor of Medicine, to be broadcast in the Eastern Service on Sunday at 10.30. The programme shows a day in the life of Professor Eccles. The script has been written by L. J. Witts, Nuffield Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University of Oxford.

The day is a full one and the Professor has to resist many calls upon his time which take him from his job, which he defines as "to teach students and to advance knowledge, to keep up the tradition of university scholarship in medicine.' Production by Nesta

Pain. OLD ENGLISH SONGS

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Stanley Clarkson, the Australian bass, will be heard in a programme of English songs in the General Overseas Service this week on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. He will sing such lovely old airs as "Why should'st thou swear I am foresworn?' by Harry Lawes; 'Old English Song Cycle: Pack Clouds Away' by Handel; 'Love me or not,' by Arne; Love in thy Youth, by Howard (arranged by Henry Colman); and 'I envy not a monarch's fate,' by Purcell. TURBO-JET INVENTOR

"Turbo-Jet" is the title of a feature programme in the Eastern Service on Tuesday at 10.30 p.m. It is about the invention of the turbo-jet engine, one of the most fascinating engineering stories of modern times. The name of the inventor, Air Commodore Frank Whittle, is now familiar to the general public all over the world, although three or four years ago he was unknown outside aeronautical engineering circles. He sprang into fame overnight when the world was told about Britain's new jet fighters.

The technical accuracy of the programme is assured because Air Commodore Whittle has himself taken a close personal interest in its prepara-

Sunday, December 12.

EASTERN SERVICE

P.M. 10.30 RADIO DRAMA-Professor; of - Medicine, Written by L. J. Witts. Nuffield Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University of Oxford. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 9.15 RING UP THE CURTAIN: BBC Theatre Orchestra, Sylvia Robin (soprano). Robert Irwin (baritone). Conductor: Walter Goehr. Music for

Shakespeare'. 10.15 MUSIC OF THE REGIMENTS: Band of the King's Royal Rifle Corps Conductor: Mr. A. W. Jarvis. 10.45 CHURCHES AT WORSHIP: 'A Restored Church in the East End of London,' by Howard Marshall.

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11.15 VARIETY CALLS THE TUNE: BBC Variety Orchestra Conductor: Rae Jenkins with Victor Newbury.

P.M. 12.30 BRITISH CONCERT HALL: New London Orchestra Conducted and presented by Alec Sherman Overture: Street Corner

Alan Rawsthorne Beethoven Symphony No. 8, in F Fantasy-Overture: Romeo and Juliet Tchaikovsky.

1.30 SPORTS BULLETIN. 2.15 TIME FOR WORSHIP: from Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church, Shaftesbury Avenue, London, conducted by the Rev. F. Townley Lord. 2.30 STANLEY CLARKSON- (Aus-

tralian bass). 2.45 FOOTBALL RESULTS. GENERALLY SPEAKING: 'In My Experience', Alys Russell.

4.30 SUNDAY SERVICE from St. Stephen's Church, Rechester Row, London, conducted by the Rev. George E. Reindorp.

8.15 Tommy Handley in 'ITMA'. 9.15 MELODY TIME: Geraldo and

his Concert Orchestra. 10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL. 10.15 CONCERTO.

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Monday, December 13. EASTERN SERVICE

P.M. THIRD PRO-10.30 FROM THE GRAMME-English Gardens, Sackville-West makes a plea for maintaining the best traditions in the art of the English garden. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

P.M. 12.15 THE NEWS. 1.30 MUSIC OF THE REGIMENTS: Pand of the King's Royal Rifle Corps

Conductor: Mr. A. W. Jarvis. 3.15 MUSIC FROM GRAND HOTEL: Palm Court Orchestra Directed by Tom Jenkins John Cockerill (harp). 3.45 -MAINLY FOR WOMEN.

4.15 CRADLE TO GRAVE: End of the Road' Last of four programmes describing Britain's new Social Security System, written by John Harries.

5.00 CELEBRITY RECITAL-Claudio Arrau (piano). THE OF 5.15 ORCHESTRAS

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with Billy Mayerl (piano) and Roland Robson (baritone).

Tuesday, December 14. EASTERN SERVICE

10.30 'TURBO-JET': The story of the invention of the turbo-jet engine by Air Commodute Whattle. Produced by Robin Whitworth in co-operation with Air Commodore Whittle and Peter Cross.

GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE Peter Cross.

A.M. 9 15 LET'S MAKE MUSIC: featuring Eric Winstone and his Orchestra 10.00 GENERALLY SPEAKING: A talk from the BBC Home Services 10.15 TIP-TOP TUNES: Geraldo and

his Orchestra. 11.15 RING UP THE CURTAIN: BBC Theatre Orchestra and Chorus Ruth Packer (soprano), Rosina Raisbeck (mezzo-soprano). Walter Midgley (tenor). Douglas Craig (baritone). Conducted by Clifton Helliwell, In

excepts from Verdi's 'Il Travatore' (The Troubadour).

12.30 VARIETY BANDBOX: Michael Howard, Doris Hare, Harry Secombe, Max and Harry Nesbitt, Stella Nichols and Rene Pougnet, Leslie Haskell, and Felix Mendelssohn and his Hawaiian Serenaders.

2.15 WEST COUNTRY. VARIETY ORCHESTRA: Conductor: Norman Brooks.

5.00 BBC SYMPHONY ORCHES. TRA: Conducted by Basil Cameron Theo Olof (violin), Violin Concerto in E minor Mendelssohn. THE THIRD PRO-5.30 FROM English Gardens, GRAMME: Sackville-West makes a plea for the art of the English garden. 5.15 ANNE SHELTON In Introduc-

ing Anne Again. 8.15 TO TOWN WITH TERRY with Frances Day, Ronald Chesney, Ruth Dunning, April, May, and June and

Terry Thomas. FARMER: 'Winter 8.45 BRITISH Rations: Men vers's Animals, by L.

F. Easterbrook. 9.15 LET'S MAKE MUSIC: Eric Winstone and his Orchestra, with Roy Marsh, Leslie Howard, Julie Dawn, and The Quartet, and The Freddie Phillips Quintet.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL. 11.30 NEW RECORDS: Presented by Robert Tredinnick.

Wednesday, December 15. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

11.45 STAR VARIETY: Ronald Chesney and Steven Conway. P.M.

5.00 FROM THE THIRD PRO-Frederick Schubert, GRAMME: Thurston (clarinet), Dennis Brain (bassoon), Martin String Quartet J. Edward Merrett (double bass), Octet for clarinet, horn, bassoon, string quartet and double-bass.

6.15 SANDY MACPHERSON AT THE THEATRE ORGAN. 7.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT OR-

CHESTRA. 3.30 VARIETY CALLS THE TUNE: BBC Variety Orchestra Conductor, Rae Jenkins with Janet Davis.

9.15. ISLAND OF PUFFINS: Lundy. Frank Gillard speaks from the island by radio link. Lockwood West introduces recordings made on the island.

3.45 HARRY ISAACS AND YORK BOWEN at two pianos.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL. 10.15 BAND PARADE. 11.30 BOOKS TO READ.

11.45 'FILM': A talk by Roger Manvell.

Thursday, December 16. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. 3.30 BBC SCOTTISH ORCHESTRA: Conductor: Ian Whyte. Overture: Di Ballo Sullivan. The Water Music . . . Handel-Harty. 10.00 COLONIAL COMMENTARY. 11.15 QUEEN'S HALL LIGHT OR-CHESTRA: Conductor: Sidner Torch.

P.M. 2.10 THE DAILY SERVICE. BBC SCOTTISH ORCHESTRA: Conductor: Ian Whyte Symphons No. 41 in C (The Jupiter)

3.45 LIFE IN BRITAIN 5.00 'HOW NOW, ULYSSES?': A Pertian of Conrad by Marlow, Written by John Mack. " 7.15 STAR VARIETY: Tessie O'Shea and Billy Thorburn.

730 EBC WELSH ORCHESTRA. Conqueter: Mansel Themas 9 15 SOUTH AFRICA V. M.C.C.: THE FIRST CRICKET

TEST MATCH: A commentary by John Arlett en the first day's play at Dur-

9.45 ACCOPDEON CLUB with Prima Scala and his Accordedn Bana 10 00 RADIO NEWSREEL. All Times Are H.K. Standard Time

11.30 THE BRAINS TRUST: Resident Team: Collin Brooks, Kingsley Martin, and Wilson Harris. Question-Master: Gübert Harding.

Friday, December 17.

EASTERN SERVICE P.M. FIRDAUS-I-GOSH: A pro-

gramme of music, prose or verse. 9.45 SUNNE KI BATEN: A question and answer programme.

NEWS IN HINDUSTANI. LONDON LETTER FOR CEY-10.15 LON (in Sinhalese).

10.30-11.30 Programme in English. 10.30 'LONDON MIRROR': Reflections of life and thought in London today. BACKGROUND TO MUSIC: 22: The Impressionists (graophone records).

11.15 NEW IDEAS: A series of programmes on work in progress in Britain.

11.30 Close down. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. MIDLAND LIGHT OR-11.15 BBC CHESTRA.

P.M. LISTENERS' CHOICE. 12.30

1.00 'ITMA'.

SPORTS BULLETIN. 1.45 SOUTH AFRICA v. M.C.C.: An

eye-witness account. 4.30 IN ERITAIN NOW: A National

Magazine! 5.30 NEW RECORDS: Presented by Robert Tredinnick.

6.15 BOCKS TO READ. 7.15 QUEEN'S HALL LIGHT OR-Sidney CHESTRA: Conductor:

Torch. 9.15 SOUTH AFRICA V. M.C.C .--FIRST CRICKET TEST THE A commentary by John MATCH:

Keep this page for use during the week.

Arlott on the second day's play at Durban. 9.45 CEBAR FRANCK: 'Le Chasseun played by the Chicago

Symphony Orchestra, Conductor: Desire Defauw (gramophone records).

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL. 12.30 SOUTH AFRICA V. M.C.C.: An eye-withess account by John Arlott. 12.45 THE DECEMBER BLOOD-

STOCK SALES: The December sales held at Newmarket by Messrs. Tattersalls is one of the most important sales of bloodstock in the world. A feature of the sales in always the large number of high-class mares in foal which come under the hammer. The sales will be described by Henry Riddell with the help of recordings made at Newmarket.

Saturday, December 18. GENERAL OVERSEAS SERVICE

A.M. VOICE OF THE VIOLIN: featuring Michael Spivakowsky. P.M.

THE WATERLOGGED SPA". 12.30 BBC SYMPHONY ORCHES. TRA! Conductor: Sir Adrian Boult. SPORTS BULLETIN.

1.45 SOUTH AFRICA V. M.C.C.: An eye-vitness account. 4.45 ACCORDEON CLUB.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS Charles Dickens, 'The Benefactor'. 5.30 SCOTTISH MAGAZINE. 6.00 WORLD AFFAIRS.

5.16 'FILM': A talk by Roger Manvell 8.15 BILLY MAYERL and his Music.

'MUCH - BINDING - IN - THE -MARSH'.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL. MACPHERSON AT 10 15 SANDY THE THEATRE ORGAN.

10.20 SOUTH AFRICA V. M C.C.-THE FIRST CRICKET MATCH: A commentary by John Aracti on the third day's play at Durban

11.00 ENGLAND V. AUSTRALIA:-Rugby. The Third (and Final) Test Match, at Odsal Sadium, Bradford. A commentary by Harry Sunder-

land, on the second half. 11.45 CARDIFF CITY V. BRAD. FORD:—Association Football: A e mmentary by Raymond Glenden-

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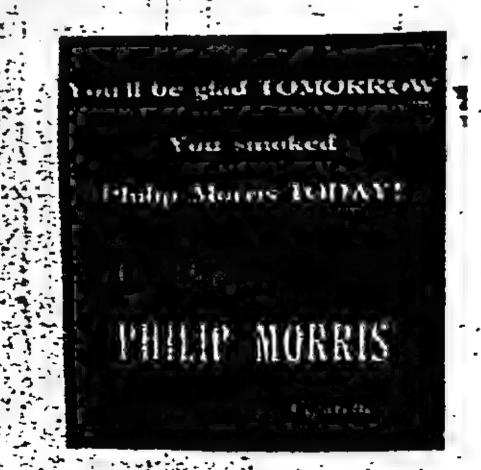
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Talking about Films. SCOTT FILM IS EPIC

By Fred Majdalany

Scott of the Antarctic the new English film shown at the Royal Command Performance in London last night, has practically everything to discourage the average producer from making it.

The five leading characters are men. During most of the picture their faces have to be submerged in whiskers, smeared with black grease, and split by frostbite. . The climax is ironic, the end is unrelievedly tragic.

It even dares to be concerned with, in their simplest form, such unfashionable matters as courage, endurance, comradeship, and epic endeavour for its own sake.

It is a great film because the essential simplicity of its theme has been left alone to tell its own story. But all of the screen's great potential in sight and sound has been splashed into the job to give the story a setting that is heroic and surpassingly beautiful.

Gallant Failures

The story is a classic in the line of Gallant Failures which are a feature of English history.

It begins, characteristically, with Scott himself having to raise the funds for his final expedition. Even in 1909 it was impossible, apparently, to persuade a Government that it would be fine if an Englishman got to the South Pole first.

In a manner slightly reminiscent of some military adventures of recent times, Scott discovers, soon after the Antarctic march has begun, that his equipment is wrong-ponies and tractors, brought in addition to dogs, are a failure.

When Scott and four picked men finally reach the Pole it is only to discover that the Norwegian Amundsen has got there first. There is something charmingly right (and probably incomprehensible outside this country) in their feeling that it was vaguely unsporting of Amundsen to get there so quickly.

There follows the journey back - a dreadful ordeal by blizzard, fatigue. illness, and injury; the self-sacrifice of Captain Oates, who walked into the blizzard to save them having-a passenger; and the end only 11 miles from base when the others, finally beaten, quietly await death.

Poetic Colour

My outstanding impression photography of Jack Cardiff, Osmond Borradaile, and Geoffrey Unsworth, whose Technicolour work in this film is very nearly the most poetically exciting CVCI REELL

For this alone the film could be seen again and again. This visual beauty is perfectly matched by the music, specially composed for the occasion by Vaughan Williams harsh, noble, and at-times howling music that is Antarctic in its cold fury.

As far as the acting is concerned, this is a case where the whole is greater than the part. It is enough to say that John Mills (Scott), Derek Bond (Oates), Reginald Beckwith (Bowers), and James Robertson Justice (Taff Evans) do a fine job. But in this case the picture is the thing-and a great thing at that.

Today film shows on Atlantic liners are almost routine. Nearly all Britain's crack liners provide several shows for passengers during the crossing, and in the case of the Queen Mary and the Queen Elizabeth, some new films have had their premieres at sea in the ships' theatres. That on the Queen Elizabeth is one of the world's finest miniature theatres. Decorated in red, white, and blue, it seats 338 people. A theatre with a seating capacity of 200 was built specially into the Queen Mary when she was reconditioned after World War II. Other Cunard liners such as the Britannic, the Media, the Parthia and Mauretania and the Aquitania all have their own cinamas.

Orson Welles and Joseph Cotton have the two leading male parts in "The Third Man," which Carol Reed is directing for London Film Preductions. It is a drama based on the dangers and corruption of life in the four zones of Vienna, and location scenes are being shot in the Austrian capital. The Hohermarkt and several famous churches have been taken, and an exciting scene between Cotton and Welles is enacted on the Giant Wheel in the Prater (Vienna's famous fairground). The young Italian actress Valli (she has appeared in more than 30 pictures in her own country) plays the role of the Austrian heroin. She has recently returned from Hollywood, where she acted in "Miracle of the Bells" and "The Paradine Case."

Forty-eight-years-old Raymond Lovell, Canadian-born stage and screen actor, breaks away from a long sequence of more serious roles for a light comedy part in Aubrev Baring's new screen comedy "Fools Rush In," starring Sally Ann Howes, Guy Rolfe and Nora Swinburne. "Fools Rush In" is produced by Aubrey Baring and directed by John Paddy Carstairs with George Archibald in charge of production - at Britain's Pinewood Studios. The cast includes Nigel Buchanan, Thora Hird, Patricia Raine and Nora Nicholson. Raymond plays the role of a middleaged diplomat who is assigned to Peru at a moment when he is contemplating marriage. The position is complicated by the arrival of the ex-husband (Guy Rolfe) of the woman he is going to marry-Nora Swinburne.

Best-Dressed Star? Women Answer

'Myrna Loy' Nearly 50 British and American film

stars and five survivors of Scott's Antarctic expedition were presented to the Queen. Princess Margaret, and the Duke of Edinburgh at the Royal Command film show at the Empire.

The show opened with the premiere of the film "Scott of the Antractic" and closed with an hour's stage show introduced by Sir Laurence Olivier, in which all the British and American stars took part.

Thoughts of the King, resting at Buckingham palace, made it a sentimental, occasion, as well as a great gathering of film celebritles.

Sympathy and admiration mingled in the great cheer that rose as the royal party arrived—the Queen in a jewelembroidered dress of white silk georgette, with diamond tiara and a sable cape, Princess Margaret in shell-pink brocade and white fox cape.

They were greeted by a guard of honour of 50 King's Scouts.

:The Queen, praising their turn-out said: "I hope they see the picture." She was told that places had been reserved for them.

Unrehearsed comedy performance of the evening came from Phyllis Calvert's five-year-old daughter Auricl, who presented carnations and roses to the Princess, while Bobby Henrey, nine-year-old start of "The Fallen Idol," presented orchids to the Queen.

Someone whispered to Auriol, "You forgot to curtsy." So she skipped back in front of the Princess, made her curtsy, and ran back to mother.

. Litars whose names draw long boxoffice queues contented themselves with walking-on parts in the show. The American contingent (most of them travelled specially from Hollywood) included Myrna Loy, Alan Ladd, Robert Taylor, Virginia Mayo, Joan Caulfield, Elizabeth Taylor, Patricia Neal and Sue Carol. Women onlookers voted Myrna Loy's

dress the prettiest. It was a dress of graduated palepink net frills, with a platinum mink -- CECIL WILSON. COLTRE.



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270,384 ordinaries, 83,120 Actions de Jouissance, together worth £44,-250,000.

The Severn, 220 miles against 219.

8. John Cabot, in 1497.

Bali: Between Terrorism And Tourism

(Continued from Page 1) Since the Council of Rajahs has become the chief executive body on Bali. some of the Rajahs have been feeling their oats and have been increasing their exactions. This is indicated by a recent brush between the Rajah of Karang-Assem and Theo Meier, a Swiss painter, who lives a Bohemian life in the beautiful mountain village of Selat. Theo Meier is a resident of 11 years standing and is more a Balinese institution than a mere restdent, for he knows and loves Bali well and all the villagers come to him for help of various sorts.

The old Rajah of Karang-Assem knows well how to secure extra "contributions" from his subjects. He asks for rice for religious festivals but somehow part of the rice received goes into his godowns. At the end of the war he improved his position substantially by compelling his creditors to accept repayment at face value in mucadepreciated Japanese currency.

Recently the Rajah of Karang-Assem made it known to Theo Meier, that he would like him to present him, gratis of course, with a large painting on the occasion of his 40th jubilee as Rajah. When Meier—who as a European needn't fear the Rajah's wrath as much as the Balinese — didn't move a brush, the Rajah further offered that he could live in his "Water Palace" — a half-built monstrosity — while painting.

Meier thought that he might do a large abstract painting if the Rajah made the "Water Palace" tempting enough so he asked, through an Intermediary, whether the Rajah would supply six pigs and three cattle as food during the time the painting was being executed. The Rajah sent word back that he had changed his mind and would rather not be "presented" with a painting.

Wiser Heads

The Rajahs are being kept from going too far by some of the wiser heads among them, particularly the Rajah of Gianyar and the Rajah of Buleleng. The Rajah of Gianyar the chubby young Premier of East Indonesia, Anak Agung Gde Agung, has been telling them that if they do not grant a greater measure of influence to the people within their princely states, the people might sometime take it for themselves.

There have been many indications that the Dutch transfer of authority to the hands of the Rajahs is not a popular · measure among the politically conscious of Bali. Many of the young nationalist guerillas who fought in the hills felt they were fighting as much against the feudalism of the Rajahs as the colonialism of the Dutch, and, now that the Dutch have handed over to the Rajahs, concentrate their enmity against the Rajahs, whom they describe as "feudal puppets of the Dutch." These young guerillas have not forgotten the fact that the espionage system of the Rajah of Gianyar was of considerable help in defeating their movement. Nor have they forgotten the actions of the Rajah of Badung (the princely state in which Den Passar is located). A substantial body of young guerillas came to him for advice and he said: "You surrender and if the Dutch put you in jail, I'll go too." They surrendered and, of course, the Dutch jailed them but the Rajah forgot to accompany them.

The guerilla phase of nationalist activity on Bali has shifted to a political phase, but suspicion of the Rajahs runs deep among the Balinese nationalist politicians as well. And they are not without influence. Three of Bali's six representatives in the East Indonesian parliament are out-spoken natioalists. The most recent man to be elected from Bali, Ida Bague Manua, was still in prison after one and a half years for his resistance activities, at the time of his election.

Social Position

There is considerable support for the nationalists and against the Rajahs among educated women because although Baliness women are world-

Mew Books BRITAIN 1998 AND ALL THAT By Peter Quennell

From a novelist's magic casement Henry Green invites you to look forth with him across the forbidding landscape of the immediate future.

Fifty years have trundled by; Britain has been thoroughly socialised until the last drop of individual colouring-matter would seem at first sight to have been gradually, expertly squeezed out

But even under the constant pressure of almighty Regulations human beings remain their unregenerate selves; old men are lonely and aggrieved; young girl foolish, over-excited, and frequently unhappy.

The scene of "Concluding" is laid in a vast and ancient country house — which now provides a snug refuge for embattled female bureaucrats.

famous for their build and posture, their social position is very low. The low position of women is indicated by the fact that on the illustrated Balinese calendar the worst days is represented by a woman wearing a kris (the Baliese dagger which symbolizes a man's power) and sitting in a position superior to that of a man. Many of the educated women fear the rule of the Rajahs will mean they will be riveted into their old inferior position and have become pro-Republican because the Republican constitution guarantees them equality.

The coming conflict in Ball. then. seems to be that between the pro-Dutch, feudalistic Rajahs and the pro-Republican nationalists, many of them democratic or socialistic in their outlook. If need not, necessarily result in a reopening of armed conflict or violent political tension. Some of the Rajahs can see the future and accommodate themselves to it. Thus, it was the Rajah of Gianyar, as Premier of East Indonesia, who supported the sending of a "Goodwill Mission" from Indonesia to the Republic of Indo-As a result the pro-Republican nationalists in East Indonesia game to regard East Indonesia. which had been established under Dutch supervision, as less of a puppet state and are willing to work with it.

Wide Support

In Ball has been wide enough to cut into some of the families of the Rajahs. Although all the Rajahs except that of Jembrana have sided with the Dutch, sometimes their young sons have had other feelings. At least two Rajah's sons have been imprisoned for supporting the nationalist guerillas. Perhaps nationalist pressure will bring these members of the Rajahs' families to the fore.

Of course, in Bali, these political conflicts still effect only very narrow strata of the population: the few Dutch officials and army officers, the Rajahs and their families and the educated people — and particularly the youth. Most Balinese peasants are unconcerned with politics and although they have had their houses burned down and suffered in other ways from the last three years of turbulence they pay surprisingly little attention to it.

For most, the world is allright if there is enough food and fun. The average Balinese male is far less interested in the performance of his political representative than in the performance of his fighting cock. This attitude is illustrated by an argument between the Swiss painter Theo Meler and an old priest friend of his. Meier was skeptical about the fierceness of an old battle which occurred a half-century ago. "What do you mean it wasn't fierce," expostulated the old man, "why it was so serious that we stopped the cock-lights for two weeks!"

It has become a training-school for the Women of Tomorrow, ruled over by two mincing dragonesses (they comtine the worst features of the modern educationist and the old-fashioned seaside landlady) and haunted by an aged scientist who, with his scapegrace granddaughter, a somewhat weakwitted and slightly disreputable young, woman, inhabits a remote cottage somewhere down an avenue.

The dragonesses covet his cottage—
it will do nicely, they consider, for the
man who stokes the boilers; and during the day and evening described in
this book we watch his struggles and
anxieties, and the ferment and excitement of the youthful lives around him.

The novel is a tragi-comedy of youth and age. Henry Green (who writes under an assumed name and, so far as I know, is the only successful contemporary business man to have won renown in fiction) is a storyteller of unusual merit, with several obvious shortcomings.

His gift of suggesting a character and creating and atmosphere entiles him to high respect. On the other hand, the various sections of his story appear often strangely unrelated; his narrative runs into patches of fog; he cunningly evokes a feeling of suspense, but we are still in suspense—our tongues hanging out for a solution —, by the time we reach his last page....

If you appreciate originality and are ret afraid of eccentricity, "Concluding," nevertheless, is a book I recommend to you.

Bird And Beast

For more conservative tastes there is "The Phasian Bird."

The Phasian Bird."
Provided you can

Provided you can stomach the literary convention by which wild animals bear romantic names—though in this instance they not credited with almost human thoughts and feelings—you will enjoy Henry Williamson's pheasants and partridges, geese and hares and game cocks. For he has an enviable descriptive gift, and writes of English fields and woodlands with the sober passion of a working farmer.

Finally, a delightful travel book, George Millar, author of those fascinating fragments of war-time autobiography "Maquis" and "Horned Pigeon." here tells of a journey with his wife along the canals and rivers of France, out into the Mediterranean, and around the toe of Italy as far as the AEgean Islands.

It is an amusing and engaging record. "Isabel and the Sea" divide our
attention. Isabel hated the sea as she
saw it from the deck of a small yacht
slithering through a hurricane; and the
sea, with its customary malevolence,
was by no means kind to Isabel.

George Millar writes of them both with affection.

QUICK LOOKS

Theseus, by Andre Gride. Translated by John Russell. (Horizon, 7s. 6d.)

The greatest living French writer gives his personal interpretation of the ancient legend of Theseus and the Minotaur, hinting at new meanings, investing it with a new and unexpected poetry. Translated by John Russell into smooth colloquial English.

Europe With Baedeker, by Edmund Wilson (Secker and Warburg, 15s.)

Edmund Wilson is a well-known American writer and distinguished literary Eritic—witness such books as "The Wound and the Bow" and "To the Finhates us! One might almost - suspect that some personal grievance gnawed land Station": but, heavens, how he him... The English, he says, are snobbish, cunning, immature, and display, young and old, a voraclous appetite for property. His criticisms would be more

Eisenhower Story Raises A Storm

General Eisenhower's inside story of the war, "Crusade in Europe," just published as a book in America has aroused the greatest controversy of any literary work of modern times.

The book will not be published in Britain until next year, but is meanwhile being serialised exclusively in the "China Mail."

Appearance of the book in America has led to many of the general's statements and conclusions being hotly contested and criticised in a way that has startled millions of Americans.

'Won By U.S.'

Among British writers taking a sharply-critical view has been the Mill-tary Correspondent of the "Sunday Times," who has declared:

One is forced to the conclusion that General Eisenhowever considers that the war was really won by America, that every American view was right, every British idea wrong.... Though he has many charming things to say about them, nevertheless hardly any British leader escapes his censure....

Chilly Praise

Writing in the "Sunday Pictorial."

Duoglas Warth has expressed this view:

Too many passages develop into a justification that, time and again, he overrode British plans and demands. And the extravagance of the bouquets he hands to some of the American generals is in strange contrast to the chilly praise with which he so nearly damns Montgomery.

The "Daily Graphic" has described the book as "likely to prove the most controversial book of the year."

The "Daily Express" has observed:
The 1944 dispute is stirred up again between the Eisenhower plan for advance in Germany on a broad front and Montgomery's conception of a sharp thrust through the Low Countries.

Forthright '

General Lord Ismay, who was Chief of Staff to the Minister of Defence from 1940 to 1946, has written in the "Daily Telegraph."

General Eisenhower was always ready to state his opinion forthrightly and honestly; but he is the last man to expect everyone to agree with him in everything that he has written in his book. Nor is it difficult to find bones of contention...No one who really knows the man could entertain for a single moment the idea that he had any intention of belittling the British effort.

Readers of the China Mail are in the unique position of being able to read day by day, just what General Eisenhower has written and of thus being able to consider the Eisenhower controversy against the background of the full Eisenhower story.

(ANOTHER INSTALMENT OF GENERAL EISENHOWER'S OWN STORY OF THE WAR WILL APPEAR TOMORROW.

penetrating if his dislike were less immoderate.

Dark Wanton, by Peter Cheyney. (Collins, 8s. 6d.)

Another explosive Cheyney cocktail, compounded of beauty, fashion, violence and international espionage. Mr. Quayle, whom I am always glad to meet, makes a striking reappearance. Devil Take the Blue Tail Fly, by J. F.

Bardin. (Gollancz, 8s. 6d.)
Three-star thriller by a master of the business.

SUNDAY HERALD MAGAZINE SECTION

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1948.

BALI: BETWEEN TERRORISM AND TOURISM

Bali is now in the troubled interlude between terrorism and tourism. The days of fear and firing are over. But the days of peace and plenty have not quite returned,

The portion of the feminine anatomy which the Balinese women customarily cover is not as well covered as before the war. Cloth is in short supply and prices are too high. Tida ada, the local equivalent for "out of stock" is frequently used around the bazaars of Bail when it comes to talking about imported goods. And many of the things which are available are only to be had at blackmarket prices. At the tiny Chinese tokos (shops) an ordinary roll of Kodak film for example, costs roll of Kodak film for example, costs 12,50 guilders, which equals U.S. \$5 at the legal rate or \$1.25 at the illegal rate of exchange.

It is a sign of the times that if you want to buy a bottle of brom, the delectable and powerful local decoction, you have to pay twice as much if you are paying in paper currency than if you are paying in silver. The Balinese prefer silver so strongly because they

performance of a troupe of Balinese dancers and buying curios at three times their normal price from crowds of persuasive salesmen.

To the ordinary Balinese this short-order invasion of tourists was an inexplicable curiosity which he tolerated

Andrew Roth

and didn't understand. The Balinese never willingly leave their lovely island and one old Balinese woman, shaking her head at the antics of the one-day tourists, said that surely the foreigners must have done something

There are many magical things about Ball and not the least is the way people Ball and not the least is the way people spring out of the ground when the word spreads in the smallest out-of-the-way dessa (village) that there is a visitor about. Villagers from young toddlers to toothless old men turn up with their own paintings and bits of coconut wood, stone and bone they have carved. To the visitor who has seen how handicrafts have declined all over the East—with a few exceptions such as Kashmir—the skill and popularity of the handicrafts in Ball must remain an unending source of wonder. remain an unending source of wonder. It is necessary to see the Balinese peasants at their artistic work after a day in the fields in order to believe it.

Visitors who visit Ball now find the Dutch even less in Balinese life and now, outside of the army there are very few civil officials. The senior officer is the Dutch Resident, who is appointed by the Netherlands Indies government in Batavia but owes allegiance to the government of East Indonesia at Macassar, headed by Premier Anak Agung Gde Agung, Rajah of the Balinese state of Gianyar. There are also several Dutch advisers attached to the Rajahs, at their request.

Some Dutch officials, like the Resident, are old colonial types. For example, he has banned almost all of the nationalist papers from Bali even though the NEI government permits them in Batavia and even banned one issue of the Dutch-edited newspaper of the State of East Indonesia. But some of the young Dutch officials such as Dr. Hans Snellemans, who has been asked to stay on by the Rajah of Karang-Assem, are very intelligent and progressive-minded.

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Pollok, wife of the Belgian painter, La Maieur, who has settled in Bali.



Women carrying elaborately decorated food offerings to the temple at Selat, Bali. : .

can bury it in the ground in troublous times.

The curlo-shop owners and otners are hoping that Bali's economic situation will soon be improved by the return of that strange character the "round-the-world-tourist". Every winter before the war half-a-dozen crulses deposited some 1,500 hurrying tourists, largely Americans, who attempted to "do Bali" in a day. This meant eating lunch at the swank Bali Hotel, watching the specially-arranged

wrong at home that forced them to leave their own lands.

Until the cruise ships deluge the island with their dollar-happy passengers. Balinese merchants and hotelkeepers are sharpening their teeth on the steady trickle of visitors from Java: delegates and staff members of the UN's Good Offices Committee, itinerant journalists, travelling diplomats and commercial representatives who manage to squeeze a week on Ball into their schedules.



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chairs, 12 glasses. 5. Buy one bottle of gin, one bottle

of whisky, one bottle of vodka, one bottle of French vermouth, one cask of beer, 12 sausage rolls, one cake. 6. Select at random from among the nations five char-ladies, five dustmen, two interpreters.

7. Sit them round the table and leave them to settle their differences, if any.

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NEWS QUIZ

- 1. A heavy earthquake made a pregnant elephant have a miscarriage. Where?
- A young leopard was shot near Shataukok, weighing how much?
- 3. Combined Services operations were held throughout Hong Kong. What was the exercise called?
- 4. One of the worst maritime disasters in history occurred at the Yangise, it being estimated that over 3,000 passngers and crew were drowned? What was the vessel's name and where was she going?
- 5. The U.S. Supreme Court caused a sensation by agreeing to hear an appeal from the International War Crimes Trial in Tokyo. The voting was four in favour and four against. Who gave the diciding fifth vote?
- General Marshall had an operation. For what?

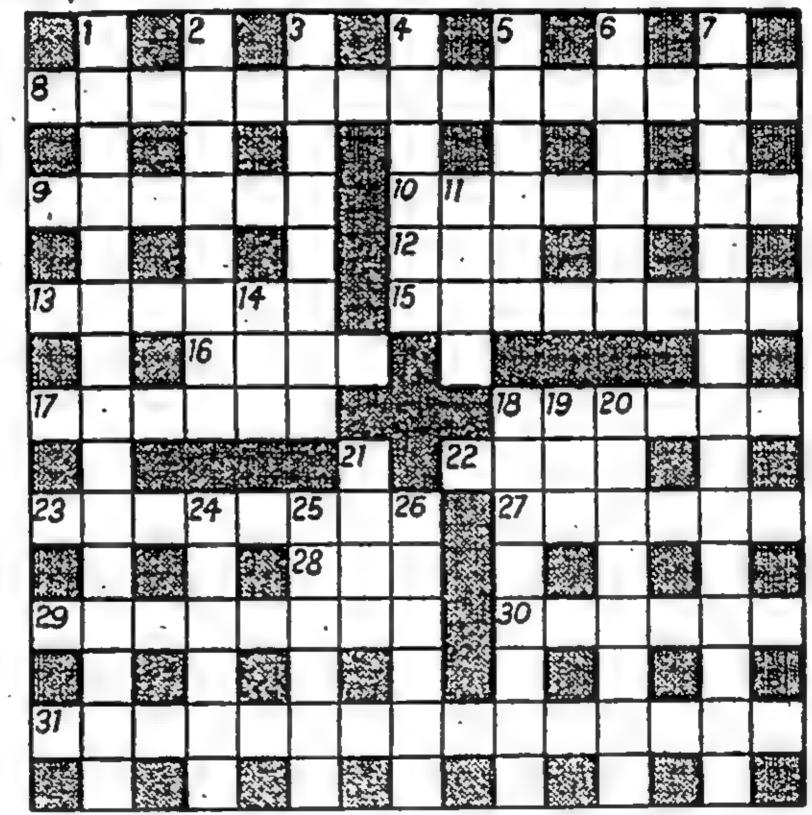
(Answers on Page Four)

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- 1. The Flying Scotsman has an unbroken record of departure from King's Cross each day for over 84 years. It travels non-stop to Edinburgh in 7 hours. What time does it leave London?
- 2. Which is the world's slowest train?
- 3. What were the British Commonwealth war casualties and what number came from the United Kingdom?
- 4 How many Red Indians are there in Canada, approximately?
- 5. When was the first census takenin the British Isles?
- 6. Do you know the extent of Britain's holdings in the Suez Canal and their value?
- 7. Which would you say is the longest river in Britain. The Severn or the Thames?
- 8. Who discovered Newfoundland, Britain's oldest colony?

(Answers on Page Two)

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ACROSS

8 Afodern dream of Spanish castles.

9 No one at home when the tenth wicket fell. (3, 3)

10 180 deg. on tap. (4, 4)

12 This minister should be at home in his office. (3)

3 There is one in London for pictures.

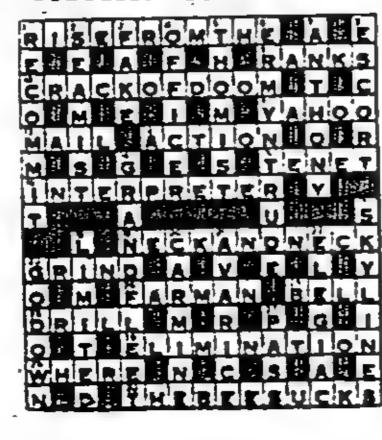
15 Unhorsing? (8) 16 Ne'er a bird is seen. (4)

17 In which to find "The Flowers of the Forest"? (6)

18 In this, if you have no puli, you will have to put your oar in. (6)

22 European red-head. (4)

SOLUTION TO No. 85



- 27 Candle wax is all right inside, but
- finish with it. (8) 27 A fool turns 19 in order to help. (6)
- 28 Trains do. according to the time-1able. (3)
- 29 Burly Pat got reformed in a very
- sudden way. (8) 30 A mere G.L could turn out this gov-
- ernment. (6)
- 31 Moving example of blowing one's own cornet, as it were. (4, 2, 3, 3,

DOWN

- I Just William's unavoidable attachment. (6, 9)
- 2 Gravely attired. (8) 3 Disturbances in courts. (8)
- 4 Acidly depicted. (6) 5 You could not say that the race-
- horse wasn't so dusty. (6)
- 6 Figured it out, perhaps, in wintry
- weather. (6)
- 7 Basis of democratic government.
- 11 The Dane is not a Hamlet, but a
- town. (4) 14 This land for cross-country race? (3)
- 18 Denunciation that our ancestors did
- with woad? (8) 19 With the band come the brigands.
- Chinstrap? (8) 21 Always a-miss. (4)
- 24 Essen-tial German industry in the

20 Surtable bouquets to present to Col.

- 25 Emphatically declares a Preference. war. (6)
- 26 Not only making the attempt, but also making a score. (6)



Rules For Club Procedure

Most players use club cardrooms and should therefore have some knowledge of club procedure. The former laws were more explicit on this procedure, but it is now more fully realised that rules on club procedure (which may vary in different clubs) are really a matter for the club itself. Nevertheless, the American edition of the new laws does include a summary of Rules for Club Procedure which have proved "satisfactory."

These concern the formation of a table. In this connection the most interesting feature in the recent changes in the laws is the fact that "a complete table" is no longer a matter of law. The laws direct (a) that the four players who draw the highest cards play first (the two highest against the two lowest); and (b) that the player with the highest card chooses seats and cards, and deals.

The rest is a matter for club procedure which should define (a) who is a "member" of a table. (b) whether a table is complete with six members, in which case new applicants can be refused entry (c) whether a seventh player can be a member when there are only seven player available, (d) priority of membership given to a new entrant over waiting players. In connection with this priority there

is a delicate situation which should be clarified. A new entrant arrives just after the four players have drawn cards (at the conclusion of a rubber) to see who is out and before the draw for partners (in the new rubber) with the two waiting members. The table is clearly made up when cards have been drawn to see who goes out to make room for the incoming members. The new entrant is too late to upset the formation of the table.

Another matter for a rule: if a member breaks up a table he should be the last of the four to enter a new table.

In many cardrooms it is usual to nave "corners." A rule is needed on these bets. They should be either a multiple of the stake played or a fixed sum which is not too big compared with the stake.



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there must be some moral in the back of the house, hoping to find story they tell about their recent a kitchen door open. He tripped trip to New York. But they hendlong over the hundle of a haven't yet decided what it is. garden roller and fell full length, of a series of New York parties. happened, he musin't wake them Like this:

"It's a quarter of eleven," said their American host obligingly. "How about another Scoten?"

"Goed heavens!" exclaimed Henry, "How frightful!"

"No," thanks awfully," Peter hurriedly, "we simply muct be off. We are flying back England tomorrow, and whole fortnight we've been in New York we've neither of us exchanged more than the odd word with the people, who are putting us up. We promised to be back emily tonight?" "Trented my hostess Just like an hotel,"

"Where do they live"" "Long Island. And it was so | R v Rind of them to take us in with the shipmed introduction from Icliow-Americans to whom, as: remember it, we were very off-Bandt - 19's inved us \$12 a day on liptels. Couldn't have made it on 1bc #35 efse."

"Do you have an automobile?" "No we'll take a taxi. If we piool those last dollars of ours,

Henry PWbg. Effle and I wouldn't hear of it. Call the garage, Effic. We [Would be just delighted to drive 200 over "

Tripped In Garden

It was all part of the traditional: American kindness. They protested politely but accepted the

advenue of vellow cate, and dollar- | was clearly sprained. his head grin motor-cars which sped up pounded with the effects of last Park avenue between the high night's Scotch, he was covered in slumped on the scarlet leather walls of the richest blocks of painful cuts, and he was feeling benches of the airfield waitingflats in the world, immated with ashaned of the inadequicy of the room that he brought himself to lights like concrete Christmus Thank-you note which he had trees. Peter's and Henry's con- left on the ball table for his stillsciences were lugging like any- sleeping hostess. He was feeling stopped growing, managed thing.

"What on earth will they think of ha"" they wondered as they turned on to the guart span of the Tribojough Bridge,

. "What on earth will they think? We have been so busy | having a good time—in New York one invitation leads to another--the coeml pressure has been too great.

Long Island at last. Splendid white houses among the woods I To Peter's confusion and sur- have passed out..." and near the seas the homes of the really rich New Yorkers, There were no lights in the winand thanks for the evening's party in hourse whispers, and the eur drove off to drop Henry at the place he was staying near by, Peter was horrified to discover he had forgotten the front-door

CYCLES TEN MILES FOR HER KRUSCHEN

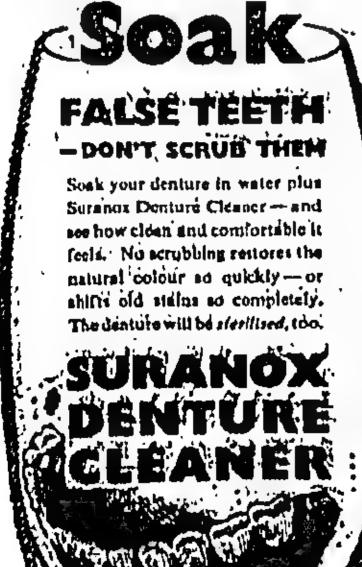
IT KEEPS HER FREE FROM SPLITTING HEADACHES

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Peler and Henry feel that key. He tiptoed round to the The story begins after the last stifling a cry of pain. Whatever

All Doors Locked

The back doors were all locked. He would spend the night on the veranda near the swimming pool rather than wake them up. The garden chairs had been taken Indoors. All that remained was a long glass table. He determined now to martyr himself to the cause of politeness and spend the night on that,

It was only a few minutes later. that a police car arrived at great speed in answer to a frenzied call from Peter's hostess, who reported sounds of burglars near her

Jenny Nicholson

swimming pool. As the police ran into the garden there was a sickening crash, and they found Peter lying stunned among the smithervens of the glass table Although Peter's hostess, who appeared in a pink satin "wrapper," was 'lust darling" about the whole foolish episode, there was clearly nothing that Peter could have said which would have made it all right. He slunk miserably upstairs and passed a Trestless night

The airport limousine called for him at six o'clock on a fine joined the rotting summer's morning. His ankle foundations of the house. dreadful.

Smell Of Burning

side the house where ifenry was with eighrette in my hand. Soskice, the Solicitor General a strong smell of burning, which up. Had to deal with it myself, inational Court here. grew stronger as Peter limped I mean to say— last hotel, Pickupstairs to help. Henry down ed up bedelothes-finmes and all with his bags.

prise, Henry was lying on the floor in a tangle of blankets, as if he had fallen out of bed. His his good foot with a cry of terrible dows of the house where Peter hands were bandaged. A small distress. He stumbled painfully his side was crouching over hun, ling for a nickel as he went. muttering soothingly.

> He turned as Peter came in. "He'll be all right-after a few days in bed."

Peter reacted with dull panie: "But we're on our way to La-Guardia field. Our plane for England leaves in an hour and a half. We've simply got to catch

'Farewell Party'

In his anxiety that they should speakers, both eatch the plane-his confused brain fixed with desperate determination on the essentials- do. Why?" Peter clean forgot to ask the Henry. His bags were packed, your house is on fire!"

BOY MEETS GIRL Own







thank beaven, and the chauffeur helped hun struggle downstairs with the heavy body,

As they drove away Peter noticed, without interest, that clouds of smoke were curling up from the flowerbed which lay directly beside the wooden

It wasn't until they were both a.k Henry what had happened. lienry, who had temporarily relate the story in spasms:

"They were waiting up for me. A farewell party for me going ion, Gin rummy, Didn't get up-The limousine pulled up out stairs to pack till 4,30, Fell asleep -and flung them out of window. Blands burnt: Called doctor, Must

"Good Lord!" Peter sprang to

'House On Fire!'

He got through, to the place where Henry had been staying. "Yeati?" the thick sleepy voice of the host answered at last. "I say, terribly sorry to wake you at this unearthly hour-but

can you smell burning?" "How's that egain?" "BOAC announces the departure of its flight 502 for Grander, Shannon, and London ..." echoed from the loud-

"Do you smell burning?" "Why-ye-es. Why, yes, I sure

"Oh, dear-I simply can't tell ittle man what was wrong with you how sorry I am. But I think

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THOUSANDS SUFFER FROM INSOMNIA. THE PRO-CESS OF GETTING SLEEP IS HERE DESCRIBED IN À POPULAR WAY.

'MYSTERY' THE

Sleeplessness nowadays is a very prevalent complaint all over the world. The reason is partly that sleep is something of a mystery to most people, and it will fray. The nerve cells alone are fellow and go to bed, you soon therefore be useful to conduct a estimated to number twelve thou- fall asleep, again by instalments, brief enquiry into the subject - sand millions, and every one of useful even to those who do them is a worker. not yet suffer from sleeplessness.

How do we fall asleep? And the waking hours, but here what happens while we are just one example. As our Mr.

a.m. He thinks that he does so all at once, but actually the process takes place by instalments, so to speak. The brain, the Boss of the organism, 'switches on the light' first. Next comes the sense of sight (even if Mr. Bright does not open his eyes), then the senses of hearing, smell, taste and touch, in that order.

Mr. Bright thinks that he has one no work as yet, but actually the above very simple and effortless performances entail a veritable tornado of activity, so fantastically multifarlous and streamous, so complicated and yet so precise, that it defeats the imaginution. From the moment Mr. Bright opens his eyes, all the thousands of millions of cells constituting his body leap into the

SCOTLAND YARD CHECKS PAPERS

The Hague, December 10. the mining of two British have been working for harder destroyers in the Corfu Chan- than Mr. Bright himself, are benel in 1946 were examined by ginning to feel the strain. These two Scotland Yard ingerprint cells are somewhat in the same photographic brought to Holland to test their sion of the Manager. The Man-||nuthoritatively_here_today....

The officers, Superintendent Fred Cherrill, chief of Scotland Yard's Fingerprint Department and Detective Sergeant Salter, of the Photographic Department, returned to London yesterday.

They had talks with Sir Frank staying-a pretty white wooden Must've let it fall on the other and Str Erle Beckett, chief adhouse. The front door was open, hed, Woke up, Found the bed viser to the Foreign Office, on the A car stood outside. There was alight, Couldn't wake everybody Corfu case before the Inter-

> The new documents had been produced by the Albanians as "originals" after the Court had decided that only original documents could be, admitted in evidence. Press reports linking the visit

was staying. He said good-bye man with an open black bug at over to a telephone klosk, fumb. of the Scotland Yard's experts with a secret report which Britain claimed was stolen, and faked by Albania were officially described as sheer nonsense."—

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SLEEP

It would take a whole library How, and why do we get of books to describe what all the sleepy? What makes us yawn? different kinds of cells do during Bright sits down to his breakfast, the many millions of cells consti-Mr. Bright, as we shall call our tuting his sense of smell jump normal person, wakes up at 7 to attention at the smell of coffee and initiered toast. At the same time the glands start pumping and pouring salivary juices into

Lawrence Wolfe

the mouth, ready to mix with the food that Mr. Bright is about to

Nerve Cells Tire

Throughout the day, the cells

perform hundreds of other jobs. As our man entenes his train, bounds upstairs at his place of work, reads and writes letters makes phone calls, discusses, persundes, Intighs, ents his lunch and so on, those thousands of million's of 'workers' never let him down. Somewhere around 4 o'clock Mr. Bright begins to feel tired-tired. but not yet sleepy. His sight and hearing are not quite so acute, his brain not quite so keen as earlier in the day. What happens New Albanian documents on is that the nerve cells, which position as factory workers toilofficers, ing under the constant supervi-Int this stage, the nerve cells : would relax and refresh themselves no end.

> But he cannot or will not do that, and from now on the cells begin to accumulate fatigue poitons at an accelerating rate. While the 'Manager'—the brain-Is awake, and even when the man himself is at rest, the nerve cells have to work so hard that after a number of hours they are unable either to feed in peace or to evacuate in peace. In consequence, the entire apparatus of the cell is poisoned with the waste matter which it is prevented from discharging, because it is only during sleep that these polsons can be eliminated.

Gasp For Air

So this is how you get sleepy. At this stage the strength of the heart and the blood vessels is im-

Faster!

paired, the passage of the blood through the lungs is encumbered. and you must yown-sort of gasp for air. If you are a reasonable the order of waking being reversed. The sense of smell goes first. closely followed by the sense of taste. Then the sense of touch is l'lost' and you cense to hear the normal sounds of your edvironment, Finally, your eyeballs turn 'inside out' and the brain 'switches off'. You are asleep,

You are not unconscious, only

in a state of diminished conaclousness. Unless you are a very henvy sleeper, you would still be nwakened by an unusual noise, a tright light or contact with a hard, cold or hot object. This menns that, to some degree, your senses are still awake. At the same time, the 'Manager,' the brain, is sufficiently out of the way for the nerve cells to relax. They can attend to their own affairs without any outside jobs of seeing, hearing, tasting, smelling and touching, to say nothing of thinking. The process of digestion is slowed down, the blood circulation has quietened to a leisurely flow, breathing is steady and the muscles are relaxed. Even your hair and finger nails grow more slowly. In a word, the cells have every opportunity to renew themselves, get rid of the fullgue poisons, and get ready for the next period of wakeful-

Different Matter

But if you delay going to bed ... That is a very different matter. Your proper bedtime is always fixed by nature; it is when your nerve cells demand sleep. If you deny it to them, they become over-stimulated, and when you do go to bed, you must first deal with this extra stimulation before you can full asleep. And the authenticity, it was stated ager in this case is of course the more often this happens, the brain. If this Manager only 'turn- greater the over-stimulation and ed his back' for a moment that I the more difficult it becomes to is, if Mr. Bright took forty winks attain restful sleep. Of course, insomnia may often be due to causes over which the sufferer has no control. For example, many people today are unable to sleep from anxiety over the state of the world. But even they might benefit if they took to heart the repreach levelled by a certain doctor at an insomnia "You can't sleep from worry over the state of the world? Why, man, you're trying to do the Almighty out of a job!

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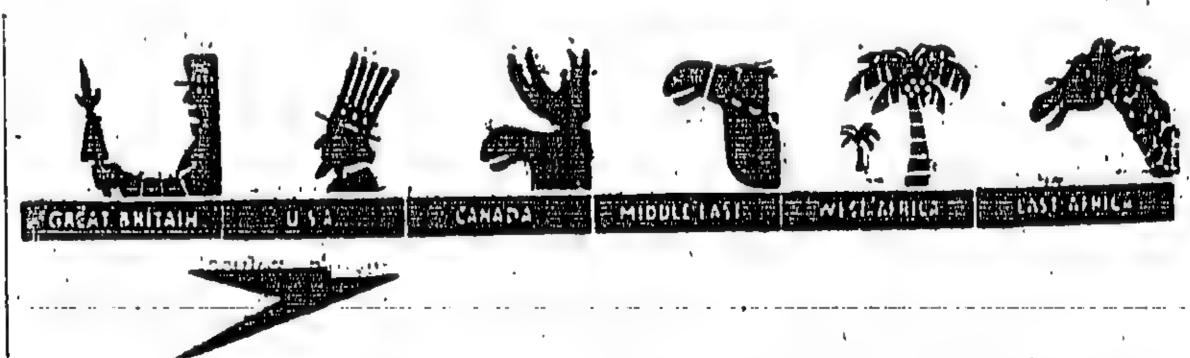
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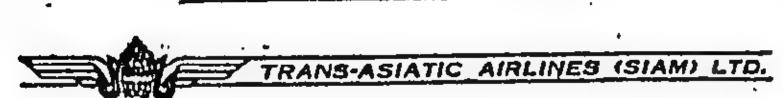






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MARRIAGE

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HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI

Admiral Budger's cautiously worded statement in which he did not exclude the possibility of landing Marines to | Western Europe are to be saved by the air to our victory in the protect American lives and "within the limits of reason and feasibility, America's primary interests," will afford some reassurance to foreign residents of Shanghai although it does nothing to clarify Washington policy, except in a negative fashion. British residents of Shanghai, who have complained bitterly that there has been no corresponding gesture towords the protection of British interests by the Labour Government, may feel themselves in somewhat better heart as the result of the statement. Their emergency plans run on very similar lines to those of the United British nationals would concentrate at prearranged centres, be transferred to refuge aboard British vessels, and there await also true that, if certain Dutch- prospects of both was the Governfurther developments, possibly permitting their return once the shouting and tumult had died down, or that being have revolutionised the speed at upset the fundamental balance sighted. impossible, calling for their departure for Hong Kong. Obviously, in the event of the extreme loss of control by the Shanghai authorities and the grave civil turmoil envisaged by Admiral Badger as justifying the landing of American marines, British but would send rescue parties readily understood. In the first place, it would represent a provocative initiative which could be disastrous in the absence of the fullest agreement both with the Chinese Kong's garrison has been reduced to the slimmest proportions which the pending number of fighting men. arrival of fresh contingents This Colony does not always have its head in the sand, but it is inclined to be myop- beginning to appear. Mr. Miko- Although during the last couple spring and summer. tic. Acquaintance with the lajezyk's account of Poland's of years his sight failed and he tragedy comes out here early became subject to distressing fits next month. Mr. Ripka is mak- of fatigue, he retained in a reprehension in the Parlia- Mr. Nagy, ex-Prime Minister of haps-comfort those of his friends ists could sweep through the Nationalists and take Shang- | gone with Hsuchow. But the

THE LESSON NOT LEARNED

in office during the rise of Hitler fleet. had not expanded sufficiently, or in time, the armed forces. Never we doing to provide the person- was sought to assert a general nel and material which we should instantly need if at any moment the aggressor Power turned her "cold" wat into a hot one?

The Government are not, and could not be, unaware of the challenge, and they have taken certain steps. They have signed the Brussels Pact with France in the last war) to expel at long of post-war policy. I last the invading aggressor, but to help effectively to repel inva-

Many Sided

Defence is still a many-sided affair, and no one of the three Services can be safely neglected. Take, for instance, the Navy. Some argue that, because the only large all-round Navy besides our own is the American, we could afford to remit effort here. Yet in each of the world wars we were brought close to ruin at sea, not by an all-round Navy,

which submarines can move under Britain came within an acc of water, are now used by the Rus- between training and serving. being conquered in 1940, and slans; and they are believed to During the first year a soldier is why? Because the Governments have built a large submarine being trained; he does not add to

But, while we can safely neg- the fighting ranks to train him. was there a plainer lesson; but leet no Service, there must be Thereafter he is a soldier and have we learned it? While Bri- priorities between them. In the available for use; he gives value tish troops in Berlin remain recent House of Lords debate, to for the time spent on his trainblocksded and Russia continues which Lord Trenchard, Lord ing. to disarm France by means of Portal and Lord Templewood strike, and anarachy, what are made, notable contributions, it

Scrutator

priority for the Air Force. All 18 months too short. Lord Portand the Benefux countries, and these speakers claimed that an al had a suggestion for that they are working towards a overwhelming Western Air Force which deserves consideration. North Atlantic allance, to include with Western science behind it the United States and Canada, was the best deterrent to Russian But a further problem conand identify also Portugal, Den- aggression and the best answer fronts all three Services-the mark and Norway. But none of to the vast man-power of the problem of officers. For peacethese external props can dispense Russian Army. They have the us from strengthening our own weight of the argument on their defences. If the countries of side, The total contribution made from the fate to which nearly all last war-adding together the the countries of Central and work of the fighters, of the long-South-Eastern Europe have suc- distance bombers, of the army cocumbed, they must be combined operation units, of Coastal Comin order to defend themselves. But mand, and of the Navy's aircraft the core of the combination will -has neither been adequately have to be Great Britain; and the grasped by the public at large, West Europeans look to her and | nor given sufficient weight by the the United States, not merely (as | Government in the formulation

> But that does not mean that the Army can be dispensed with. One of the recurring lessons of the last war was the importance of armies for attacking and defending air bases. Thus our Air Force, though by then immensely strong, could never stop the Vwenpons, but only hamper and restrict them; whereas the Army. by occupying their bases, ended them outright.

Fatal Blow

but by submarines. It is true ency plus adequate numbers in that in both cases we just man, all three Services, and today we 1946. Meanwhile any increase in aged to turn the corner; but it is have neither. A fatal blow to the cousic pay is expressly refused, German submarine improvements ment's surrender to its back- withdrawal of the war-time athad come into use in time, we benchers in 1946 over the period lowunces for extra children is Pridi Phanomyong, a might not in the second war have of compulsory service, The re- woodenly maintained. Shabbiness done so. These inventions, which duction from 18 months to 12 could scarcely be more short-

fighting strength, but lessens it since men must be taken from

Tardity recognising this, the Government has brought in a service in the reserve from fiveand-a-half years to three-and-ahalf. The immediate needs of the Army should thus be met, 000,000 is today but not those of the Air Force, which for many of its men thats

time forces, which at any moment may need to be expanded quickly, large cadres of longservice officers and N.C.O.s are indispensable. Since the war we have lost them. Officers are still going out of the Services faster than they come in. Much of the explanation is economic; the rise in prices since 1946 not having been balanced in any way, officers with families are finding it very difficult to live.

Inadequate

To this the Government's reaction is altogether inadequate. Recently, at the end of a list of increases for other ranks, Mr. Alexander anounced two small concessions to married officers. If they are housed in married quarters they are to get 38, 9 day extra marriage allowance and, if not, 6s. As both grants are liable to income-tax, the net increments are pittances; but -ven-ko they will soon be still further reduced by the disappear-We want, in short, high effici- unce of the "supplementary marringe allowance" introduced in and the reactionary post-war

and mean little alleys today tecalls wartime Lisbon.

Not in physical appearance, but by hight-club whisperings then familiar in neutral capitals, and by the steady traffic of suspicious strangers from beyond

Bill to exfend the 12 months to war-time accord with Japan and 18-at the same time, by way of her glad seduction by Tokyo's a sop, reducing the period of only successful overseas policy-- Russians at present in Siam. He

> Asiatics" - this country of 18.a friendly, peace-Britain and the

United States. An ally against total includes women and chil-Communica,

Swinging Left

Over the Western border is chaotic Burma; East and North Phibun added; are French Indo-China and China itself, both torn by bitter fighting wherein only the Communists seem to gnin.

For today, say people just arrived from Indo-Chioa's border provinces, 'as well as from Salgon, last Eastern stronghold of French colonialism, the namese, formerly almost wholly Nationalist, are now swinging more Leftward with every Communist victory in China.

South of Siam in Malaya. fighting vigorously to quell a Diemuture Communist uprising, Still farther Southwards, but still linked by racial ties, are the troubled islands of indonesia.

Alone, in comparative peace on this see of post-war strife, Siam's leaders lit uneasily ustride their square miles of flourishing ricefield, their tin mines. their took forests.

nged 52, who a year ago ousted trained lawyer and war-time leader of the free Thais whom American agents prompted into

A Guys Drawing

What is melancholy about it is

This sprawling city, Bangkok, in belated and greatly overrated a city of canals and Buddhist anti - Japanese underground. temples, wide modern avenues frankly confesses the uncusiness.

'Not' Interested Philbun, who isn't concerned about Communists within Siam. told me there weren't more than 20,000 Communists, nearly all of whom are Chinese. Said Phibun:

the borders.

waves of Eastern poten and all secounts, as Russia invariably staffs overseas quarters with her own nationals. The remainder of the 59 are White Russians, including a few dance

"The Slamese, with the excep-

tion of some negligible hundreds.

Philips isn't worried about the

only 59

Russians in the

whole of Slam.

Forty - two of

these are with

the Soviet Em-

arn't interested in Communism.

Remarking that the Russians issued an information service.

"So uo the Americans and Brltish, on a more lavish scale." Referring to overseas reports that Bangkok was the Cominform centre for the whole of South-East Asia, he said they

were "exaggerated," There are 25 daily newspapers here, mostly mosquito sheets, and Viet- nearly all mouthpieces for someone, or some political faction.

All Over Again

Because outward communications are slow not one Anglo-American foreign correspondent is based on Bangkok: 'only full-

Yet Bangkok is one of the busiest air junctions throughout the For East.

_Daily,__European__refugees_fly in from Nationalist China: business men en reute to Hongkong and Japan: Filipinos landing from American airliners out of Manila; British traders arriving from Burma "to start all over-again." Dutchmen stopping for the night on, the way to Java; United States officials from Washington, and tourists from California buying crocodile brief cases and

The Stamese are smiling and friendly. But their security police keep close, if unobtrusive, check on visitors, especially Chinese, because it is chiefly the deteriorating situation in China which is causing uncasiness among Siam's leaders.

If They Weaken?

What will happen to Siam if China's 400,000,000 fall more completely under Communist domination?

A Melancholy interest attaches. Or if French Indo-China, weakitself to this footnote to my re- ened by Communist influence in cent reference to Constantin Paris, and with the Vietnamese. Guys. I then suggested that the seven drawings in the Courtaild memorial exhibition at the Tate the Red Flag, how will this affect should put the final seal on Siam? Guys's fame, which had been

These are some of the things growing steadily since the days being pondered here by cafe In the jungle of local politics, Now a Guys drawing of the almost as tortuous as Bangkok's Empress Eugenie's conch, in ink traffic, perhaps the most conchanged hands at Sotheby's for tion of all classes of Siamese to £320, perhaps the highest figure remain independent. This today any of his works has yet reached, has the solld support of Britain

and the United States. Siam is rich in rice, always needed throughout the East. This year 800,000 tons of rice will 44 1,800,000 tons of the bumper crop

Few people outside Court circles | the Russian coup was carried out continuously published for more | letter has made at least one convert to the game from his own

can appreciate the incessant and in his country. naval vessels lying in Shang- is subjected, and even at the by quoting the advice given by newspaper has nothing to do with special, assistable, hai could not ignore the im- Court Itself there were many to a Hungarian Communist to his Berlin, but is derived from its nerilment of British citizens whom the announcement of his colleagues at a secret meeting of founder, E. H. Berling. His des-His Majesty has a strong constitu- during the early days of its col- sent editor, Mr. Terkel Terkelsen, with equal speed. Mr. tion: on many occasions his laboration with he democratic is well-known in England. Dur-Bevin's -refusal to -consider equerries -have had cause to parties. the despatch of British troops | wonder at the vitality and fitfrom Hong Kong will be ness which have carried him through the most arduous day's programme without any apparent

trace of fatigue. his mind that he should see and alliance. You can then liquidate him yourselves."

Road surfaces were bad, and of Gurkhas will not by any escorting vehicles threw up dense means fully remedy. And clouds of choking dust. This and

hai within a month or six Reds may still hesitate, for weeks. It is highly unlikely the present, about undertakthat they could offer grave ing to handle the complex menace to Hong Kong, in administrative machine rethan 228 years.

severe strain to which the King Mr. Nagy describes it vividly The name of the famous Danish staff in Mr. Alfred Lindley, his iliness came as a shock, Happily the Hungarian Communist Party cendants still own it. The pre-

By ATTICUS

An instance which comes "Learn from Lenin," said this able member of the Danish growing steadily since the days being pendered here readily to mind was his visit to Communist. "If you have five section of the Political Warfare when his work could be picked whisperers of all races. Italy in 1944 to see his armies enemies, you should ally your- Executive. and inspect the vast fleet mass. selves with them; arrange to in- The anniversary will be celeing for the invasion of Southern cite four of them against the brated by a dinner, and these Government and the United France. During 10 days he fifth, then three against the who accept the invitation are not and water-colour wash, has sistent factor is the determina-Secondly, Hong travelled great distances by road, fourth, and so on until you have likely to forget the occasion. with the desire ever present in only one enemy left in the

Teller Of Stories

the immediate consequences of a compulsory evacuation of Shanghai. It is curious that in the matter of litters.

Eric Micville succumbed. At the published relatively few novels but over each he worked sedulously, often for a long time behinself, and in output and perform the published relatively few novels but over each he worked sedulously, often for a long time behinself, and on his last night fore he set pen to paper. He that, in the matter of jitters, in Italy, when he dired with the told me once that he was an- After a period of years in Norfar more panic about Hong Admirals of his Mediterranean noyed because there was some folk, Arthur Ransome returned thing wrong with the plot of a some time ago to the Lake Disthan locally, though that may Sir William Hamilton had bought book which was more than half trict which he knows so well. not mean necessarily that for Emma nearly 150 years be- flaished and he would have to Captain Johns who is the creator not mean necessarily that fore, he was still at the top of begin all over again. I hazarded of the well-known : "Biggles" those who observe from afar his form. the consoling hope that he would series, has done well enough to do not see more clearly. Recipe For A Putsch be able to use some of what he please one of the best flahling and

gests that there is as much ing good progress with his story politics as genuine ap- of the Prague Putsch. And now his interest in life. It will permentary discussions. It is Hungary, tells in "The Struggle who latterly did not see him to head of the Economic Co-operafeasible that the Commun- Behind the Iron Curtain how know how devotedly he was at tion Administration, mission in tended by a domestic staff whose London, was in Washington durdevotion he had indeed done ing the war years he was a great much to deserve.

World's Oldest Newspaper?

ternally or externally, with quired for the running of Leading British, American and he is still taking vigorous exci-in six months. Then, too, Shanghai. Reasonable pre- Scandidavian newspapermen are class, and on a recent visit to the whole worrying business cautions are commendable, being invited to the 200th an- Queen's Club I noticed with adthe whole worrying business could yet prove to be a premature alarm. After all, it is only a month since a sudden change in the military strategy of the Communists found them taking possession of large towns and continuing in occupation. Tsinan, in safeguard boyond in the military in occupation. Tsinan, there is no safeguard boyond in the military in occupation. Tsinan, there is no safeguard boyond in the military in occupation. Tsinan, there is no safeguard boyond in the military in military

up for a matter of pence,

Since 1945, as the Socialists are that it was from the collection of never thred of telling us, we have Richard Wyndham. The Sunday had a revolution in this country. Times correspondent who was have been exported and over The death of A. E. W. Mason But, as far as books for boys and killed in Palestine, himself means fully remedy. And the sudden best of an Italian has taken away from us almost girls are concerned, conservatism painter of note as well as a now ripening will leave Slam in thirdly, it is quite clear from summer provided no small ordeal the last of a generation of great still holds the front windows. collector and connoisseur. the debate in the House of for the small party from Eng- story-tellers. At the time of his In a recent tour of provincial Commons that Cabinet and land. Group-Captain E. H. early successes Anthony Hope, book shops I found the old Parliament are more exercis. Fielden retired to hospital in; Rider Huggard, Conun Doyle, favourites in vast preponderance ed by the problem of Hong Legh fell a victim to "Gippy field and he became their peer. M. Alcott, and Percy Westerman Kong's preservation than by tummy"; and at the end even Sir Over a long period as a novelist well, to the fore, Arthur Ran-

Authoritative books on life in had written. "O," he said, "I shooting estates in Strathspey. the satellite countries are now haven't written any of it yet."

He writes his books in the win-

An E.C.A. Chief . Relaxes :

When Mr. Thomas Finletter, believer in organised games for jaded Embassy officials. Each Sunday afternoon he used to arrange soft-ball matches between teams from the State, Department and our own Embassy. . At 55

there of the later have eternal visilance. Mr. Fin-



CHURCHILL ASKS ASSURANCE HONG KONG

London, December 10. . Mr. Winston Churchill, the Opposition leader, opening the second and last day's debate on foreign affairs in the House of Commons today, said he hoped the Government would make it quite clear that British naval, air and military forces would defend Hong Kong "from all assaults made upon it."

"I cannot conceive any action taken in self-defence will raise the larger issues upon which the balance of European peace depends," This reference came in a brief review of the situation in China where, he said, "the advance of Communism seems to gain momentum every day."

Mr. Christopher Mayhew, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, told the House of Commons in reply to Mr. Churchill's reference to the Colony that it was the Government's intention to maintain their position in Hong Kong.

close and effective association world prosperity for the imeses between Britain and the United | which are attainable only by our States "because in the evercloser unity of the English speaking world hes the main hope of human freedom and the great opportunity and hope of our own survival"

"The United States may well now be prepared to do what they have never before done or dreamed of doing, to give a guarantee to Western Europe against aggression coupled with practical menssures of inflitary collaborations, "This is a tremendous event," Mr. Churchill declared

Labour Attitude

Eurlier, Mr. Chiachill had becused the Government of beant the European Unity Movement a and peace, Mr. Churchill stated party preserve. He declared that the Labour Party's attitude to the Movement "has bitnerto Been far from creditable "

The composition of Britain's delegation to the present Paris Conference in European Unity had been a great shock to powerful elements of European opinion. He saw Mr. Hugh Dalton, the British delegation leader, "had been an opponent of European Unity except on Socialist Party lines." The Foreign Secretary, Mc Er-

nest Bevin, intervened to sav "t was a party to the appointment of Mr. Dalton because I had absolute confidence in his doing the Mr. Churchdle "A more chilling welcome to a compade colleague I have racely heard."

Letter To Stalin

Mr. Churchill read to a crowded House of Commons a personal letter he had written to Mursh d. Stalin when he was Premier in April, 1945.

Mr. Churchill, who was appenling for friendship with the USSR, said he wrote to Premier Aviv without further delay. Stalm; "Side by side with our | strong sentiments for the rights of Poland, which I believe is shared in as least as strong a degree by the United States, there has grown tip in the English-speaking world a very whem and deep desire to be friends; on equal terms with the mighty Soviet Republic and, making allowances for different years which we three powers can make together,

in looking into a future where you and the countries you dominate, plus the Communist armies in many other States. are all drawn up on one side and those who rally to the English speaking nations or associate Dominions on the other "It is quite obvious that their quarrel would tear the world to pieces and that all of us leading men on either side who had anything to do with that would be shamed before history,

"Even embarking on a liong abuse and policies would be a disaster ham, blood banks,-Reuter,

Mr. Churchill rejoiced in the spering the great developments of

Golden Age

"I hope there is no word or phrase in this outpouring of my heart to you. Mr. Stalin, which unwittingly enuses offence. If so, Het me know. But do not, I beg you my friend, underrate the divergenetes which lare opening about matters which you may think are small but which are Mr. Smbolic with the English speaking way of life,"

That was the way to which be had addressed himself to the dender of the Soviet people and he sincerely believed that if there had been that co-operation beitween the three great powers, it would have opened up a golden "obstantely determined" to keep age for mankind of productivity

Referring to Palestine, Mr. Churchill said no part of the Government policy has been more marked by misjudgment and mismanagement. He had always hoped the whole question of the Middle East might have been settled "on the morrow of victory" and that an Arab Con-Tederation comprising three or Arabia, Iraq, Transjordan Syria and the Lebanon-how-the Eastern Front. ever grouped (possibly united) Middle East. But all this opportunity was

lost, Mr. Churchill declared, It seemed likely that the Foreign Secretary had misjudged the relative power of the two sides a inistake to allow legitimate obwas now a new stuation Palestine was not a party question. The Government of Israel could not be ignored or treated as if it did not exist. He entirely supported Mr. An-

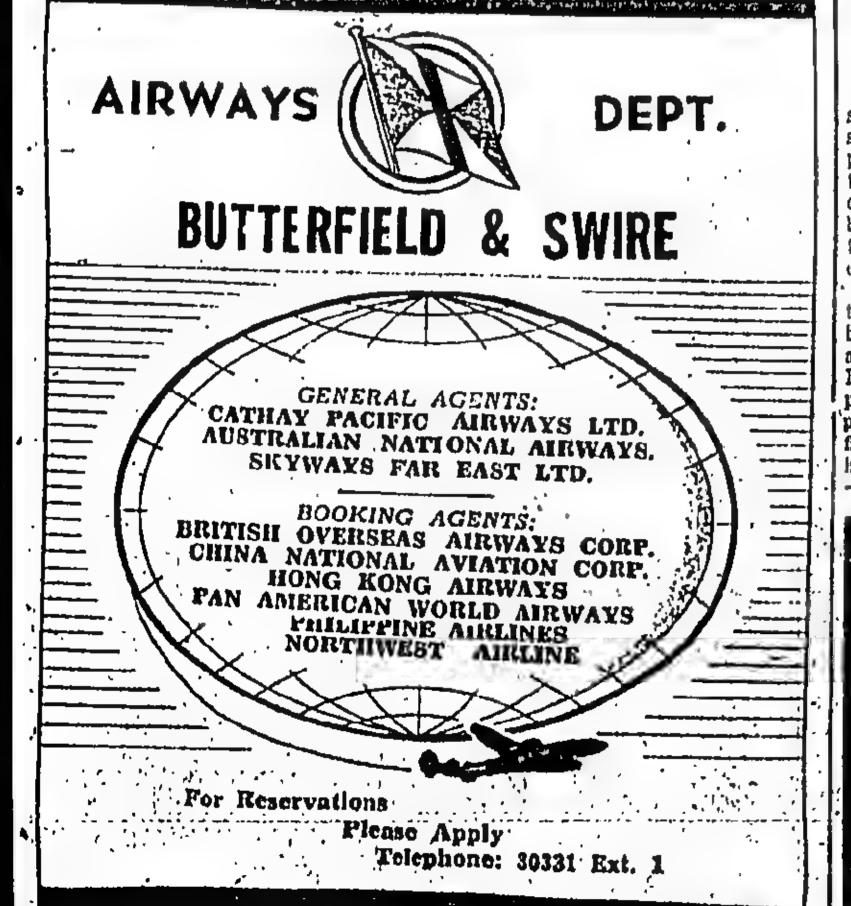
thony Eden (deputy Opposition leader) when he said "Britain" should send representatives to Tel-

Mr. Churchill declared: would surely be most foolish that we, who still have many interests and duties and memories in Palestine, should be left maintaining a sort of silly boycott."

In addition, there was special reason-Britain had a treaty to come to the aid if he were atsystems of government, to work tacked in Transfordan of King criticism of General Eisenhower's with you for the long and bright t Abdullah who had "acted with wisdom to his people and with Europe." This book has been fidelity to his Allies irrespective attacked in some quarters in Bri-"There is not much comfort of war,"-- Reuter,

TOKYO PLANS **BLOOD BANKS**

Tokyo, December 11. Tokyo University and Japanese Red Cross hospitals in Tokyo are planning blood baths and rigid blood festing regulations to avoid a repetition of transitusion operations earlier this year which resulted in infecting patients with syphilis, it was learned today. The Municipal Government is at present drawing up an ordinance regulating the selection opposing of blood donors and operation of



Siam Is Not The Same Now

Prince Prasobsuk Satsawak. grandson of the "King of Slam" in Rex Harrison's "Anna and the King of Slam," assured reporters at a UN conference in Sydney that things were not the same in Slam now.

Bydney, December 111.

They don't burn unfaithful wives nor have governesses se good looking as Irene Dunne,

He is at a meeting of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East.-United Press.

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-MR CHURCHILL

Must Obey Rules

Mr. Christopher Mayhew. Par-

liamentary Under-Secretary for

Foreign Affairs, told the House of

Commons that it would be a

psychological blunder "to support

the entry of Franco Spain into the

moral and political union.

Franco Spain cannot have a

From Greece, "there is a lack

of political courage and a lack of

The British Government was

not in favour of the suggestion

that the United Nations should

send a Mediation Commission to

firm leadership," he declared.

United Nations at the present

of Western Union,

London, December 10. Churchill was strongly in favour of reviving Britain's traditional friendship with Italy, "but what is to be said about Spain?", he said in the last day's debates on foreign affairs in the House or commons today.

British or Americans were killed by Spaniards and the indirect aid Britain received from Spain throughout the war was of immense service.

He added; "The way in | General of, the Army Elsenwhich Hitler and Mussolini hower. vere treated by Franco is monumental example of ingratitude." Mr. Francis Noel Boker (Labour) asked Mr. Churchill if he were not forfour Arab States - Saudi getting the thousands of Spanish troops who fought on

TORPEDO STATION

APPEAL REJECTED

General Sir Brian Robertson,

the British Military Governor in

Germany, and Mr. Paul C. Hoff-

man, the Marshall Plan Adminis-

trator, have both rejected a Ger-

man appeal against the British

order for the demolstion of the

former Torpedo research station

ut Eckerfoerde on the Bultle

today.—Reuter.

coast, it was officially announced

Berlin, December 10,

To' this Mr. Courchill replied and one Jewish State might be that the sending of this division set up which would have given [was "a very small way of fobbling peace and unity throughout the joff demands." He added: "I have a little sense of proportion."

Spain For U.N.

Spain under General Franco than lections to General Franco to be a borrier between the Spanish people and the Western powers. Mr. Churchill called for the

admission of Spain to the United Nations and for British diplomatic representation in Madrid Tunning to Greece, Mc. Churichd), spoke of the danger of intervention by one country in the has laffairs of mother, but said that when, a great country nevertheless decided to intervene in the affairs of a small country, it must make its intervention "effective." Otherwise, Mr. Churchill ' leclared, all that happened was that one prolonged the agony.

Crusade In Europe Mr. Churchill deplored British

war memoirs "Crusade in tain because of its alleged anti-British and anti-Churchill tone. General Eisenhower has al-

ready refuted these allegations and today Mr. Churchill said, paying tribute to American help: " did not always agree with General Eisenhower on strategic ques-I tions and I will take the opportunity of expressing my views if my life is suitably prolonged. "But I cannot do much belter than to read, the personal telegram of May 9, 1945—two days lafter the surrender of the German armies-which I sent to President

Mr. Churchill then road: "Let me tell you what General Elsenhower-has meant to us, in him we have had a man who has sought the unity of the Aliled Armies above all nationalistic .thoughts.

"In his headquarters unity and strategy were the only reigning spirits." Unity reached such s point that British and American troops could be mixed in the line of buttle and large masses could be transferred from one Command to another without the slightest lifficulty."

The telegram continued: "At no time has the principle of alliance between our peoples been carried and maintained at so high a pitch. In the name of the British Empire and Commonwealth, I express to you our admiration of the firm, far-sighted and illuminating character and qualities of

You'll be glad TOMORROW You smoked:

Phillip Albreit TODAY:

Sweeping Reforms

Bonn, December 10. Western Germany's Parliamentary Assembly today passed a resolution calling for sweeping reforms in the ralationship between the occupation forces and the German people, including the right of Germany to participate in international affairs.

the first time the Assembly's taken over by German State orhopes for the still undeter gans. (2)—The attitude of the mined Occupation Statute which will give Western Germany its first clear legal definition of its rights under the occupation. The resolution was passed by all participating party factions except the Communists.

Three Principles

The Assembly called for the following principles for the development of the interests of both the Germans and the occupation forces:

were unable at this time to state that they were prepared to fecognise the State of Isrnel. **Urgent Problem**

They could not decide on the question of recognition before dei clding on the deliberations of the current General Assembly or the observance or non-observance of the Security Council truce.

Mr. Mayhew described the charge that the Government were holding up direct negotiations between the two sides in Palestine as "a complete mis-statement of our position."

refugee problem as the most al Republic of Germany," urgent and desperate of all the refugee problems. During the debate, Mr. Phil-

lipps Price (Labour) declared tember 1. The preamble asserts that with the best intentions in The House cheered as Mr. the world, the United States had German people to maintain the Churchill replaced the text on the failed to realise the need for reforms in China.

In the Middle East, America had been "reckless and Irresponsible." He called for a treaty with Egypt on all outstanding issues, and Britain must be firm in her intention to stay in the Canal Defence Talks

Mr. Mott Badelyffe (Conserva-. After an interruption, Mr. May- tive) asked Mr. Bevin if he could hew continued: "We know about 'say "within reason" what prothe importance that a democratic gress was being made in the joint There was far more liberty in Spain could have to the project defence talks under the chairmanship of Field Marshal Vis-He said: "Those who want to count Montgomery. Join the club' must obey the i 'The Foreign Secretary rose to rules of the club. There must reply that he could say nothing

be a moral and political basis yet, because of the deliency of for Western Union and In that the situation. Mr. Hugh Daiton, British representative on the Inter-Governmental Committee on European Unity, replying to Mr.

Churchill's references to the British delegation on the Committee, said the Committee was meeting in Paris in a "caim, friendly and rational atmos-He rejected Mr. Churchill's On Palestine, Mr. Mayhew said criticisms. He declared: "This i

Britain had come closer to the an effective body of people asso-United States. The Government clated with me and they are do-had no intention of permanently ing a good job of work."—Reuostracising the Jows, but they lier.

The resolution revealed for | (1)-Supreme authority to be occupation forces towards Germany to be settled within the limits considered enecessary by occupation functions, (3)-Any regulation to be avoided which might prejudice the normal living conditions of the German people, and the development of democracy,

Under the heading of "International Affairs," the resolution said it hoped the Statute would allow Germany to have her own consulates abroad, and that any regulations restricting economic and trade relations with foreign countries should be lifted. The resolution asked for German participation in international conferences and agreements.

Federal Republic

A statement dealing with occupation costs,, bone of contention between the Allies and the Germans, said these should be fixed to spare the German population unnecessary hardships.

The Committee of the Constituent Assembly for Western Germany rejected today a proposal that the future Government for Western Germany should be called "The German Reich," and He acknowledged the Arab voted to retain the name "Feder-

It agreed to accept the preamble of the new Constitution which it has been preparing since Septhe determination of the West unity of the nation,-Reuter,

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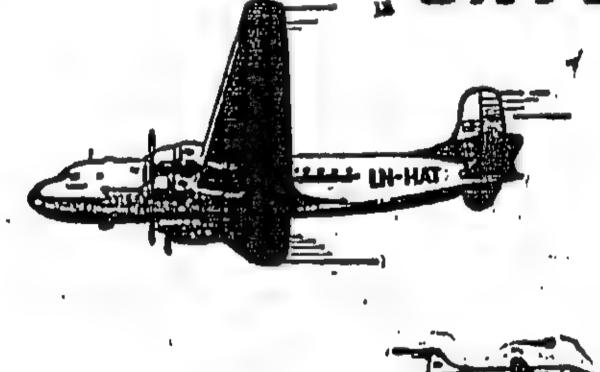
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CATCH WOMAN

By F.G. PRICE-WHITE

-the ancient art of smuggling.

Not so long ago the prosecution of a woman for deliberately attempting to evade Customs duty. was almost an oddity. Today it ls a common-place. As many women as men fall into the net of say they are 'allergie' to being Customs Preventive Officers our scaports and airports.

Alert Detachment

And women are largely responsible for this: those extremely alert-looking women in smart mayy-blue uniform and penked cap who form the Customs' new muxillary body of special searchers.

You vill see them on the quayside at Southampton, Liverpool, Dover wherever travellers land: and if you observe them closely as they slowly walk the length of the baggage-shed you will notice their air of watchful de-Inchment - so very like that of the longsensoned Customs officers who are quietly questioning pas-

In the short period these wemen have been at their posts they have amply proved their worth--and they have learned a lot about the canneity of their own sew for smuggling; rather, they have learned a lot more, for they were tought a good deal during their period of special training.

But they will go on learning: for women who make a practice of smuggling are - like men in the same "line of business" ---continually resorting to new

"Most of the smugglers in skirts are clever only up to a point," one expert woman scarcher told me, "They rely too much on being able to look innocent. That does't cut any ice with experienced Customs offierrs, of course, 'And, naturally, when it is our turn to deal with them they don't bother how they

"Some of them look very angry, and loudly object to being

WOMAN

Women have now achieved searched. That is when we have equality with men in the practice to be very tactful, and adopt the of an art once confined to a few This hurts mo far more than it of the bolder spirits among them | hurts you' attitude. A Woman's Touch

necessary effect, but-believe touched by a woman! Only the other day I was called on to search a woman suspected of

> I laid a hand on her. "'I couldn't bear It!' she

sooner go to prison.

smuggling currency; she threa-

tened to scream the place down if

"She must have meant it—for a in the end she handed over the many has accused Great Britain of their ally. wads of notes I was to look for."

have to be searched prove fairly reasonable. If they are concenting anything dutiable they know that the game is up.

"And then, most often." the searcher, "they burst tears. Not that they have a hope be an MT driver in denims that their tears will put us off of rage at being found out."

a load of trouble off the Proventive Officers-the men who examine passengers" baggage.

Formerly, a woman suspect was a problem; she had to be "detained," sometimes for hours, until the police could send one of their own women sparchers along

Honourable Way

On one occasion a Chief Preventive Officer, appealed to by a P.O. driven almost fruntle by the -persistent-(anti-teasful)-denials-of a woman suspected of serious smuggling, told her to go and search herself!

Oddly enough, putting her "on far as the civil strife in China a change is being discussed is population. . Patrons of these her honour" proved completely is concerned, Britain has adopt- worthy of attention. effective. She emerged from the search-room with several dozen pairs of nylons, some scores of lipsticks and a couple of wrist-watches--which she surrendered with a perfectly angelic airl

Most of the women searches gave up electical jobs at the Cusloms headquarters in London for experiencing trouble with the their new and unusual career. This meant their leaving home. to be attached to Preventive stairs in various parts of the

There was no monetary inducament to them to sacrifice home lies and comforts and Install themselves in lodgings in unfamiliar places - their starting pay is only £4 10s. a week, plus

ny is only 14 lus, a week, plus bassador may possibly have s, a week "lodging allowance." bassador may possibly have planned to evacuate, have like- military situation started de- vise touched on the subject of revis- wise decided to stay put. 6s, a week "lodging allowance." creating a new service—and of ing Britain's policy toward the fact that women smugglers China. However, what can Bri- What has brought out this here will naturally result in a plready fear them as rabbits fear tain do to help China? This is change of decision is not the strain on the Colony's food

-KEEP STALIN WORRIED Forty-five million Germans in | Later I asked a senior Control afraid to look that issue square in | mund. The rollers that press out Western Germany are beyond the Commission official, whose temper the eye and put Western Ger- 16ft, widths of plate were idle,

grip of Stalin.

suspicious; 44,000,000 are bilterly the Germans. onti-Communist, there are several

gomety in 1945 kept these men in their units as Inbour battalions to clear up the wreckage of Hitler's war, his friend Marshral Zhukov thundered Russia's complaints. They were afrald of a phantom German army. Monty disbanded "In most cases this has the the Dienstgruppen. But the equation reinning—the manpower of or not - there are women who Germany added to the resources of the West would mean the end of Soviet blackmall in Europe, and that in the long run means the bankruptcy of Communism.

Rumours

It is essential to Stalin to neushricked, and declared she would tralise that manpower, industrially and above all in the military sense. The Soviet Press in Gerforming German military units.

I have motored half across the However, most women who British Zone tracing these rumours to their sources. Circumstantlal stories go from mouth to mouth. I followed one back. The German who had been described to every aspect of this problem, too. nation is still very small indeed. me as an armed infantryman under British officers turned out to

"No, it isn't true," said General our job. Oh, no-they are tenra | Sir Charles Keightley, Comman-These uniformed seachers take commanded any German units. In negotiations that we are not Europe, the Hoerde Mills, in Dort-

New Life Evening News: There

ed a hands off policy, contrary

to the policy pursued by the

United States of America. As a

Britain, however, herself is

Communist uprising in Malaya.

beatise such troubles. The

Britain has confined it to a local

issue since It occurred six

The recent meeting between

Mr. Bevin and the Chinese Am-

difficult_to_forecast.

Fortunately, she prefers

months ago.

result, Britain is able to remain Yangise, high officials, rich

to for such moves.

Economic

THESE MILLIONS KEEP sions, to comment on the Soviet fence.

MILLIONS-

has been much tried by the Rus- many into a proper state of de- because on October 27 a British

These 45,000,000 make him reports that we were rearming. If I thought that the British the vital maintenance machinery 'mation' that planned the great for the rollers. "It's not true, unfortunately," Normandy invasion could not of he said, and then he repented the ultimately control the Germans, steel programme is as vital to all last word with emphasis. . . armed or unarmed, I would sit Europe as it is to Germany. Many "Arm us with American wen- down and cry. We simply did not of the plans and ideas that we

pons," say the ex-German officers try to stop them in the thirties.

Field-Marshal Mont- quite openly. "Enlist us in a UN While the Western Powers are

Foreign focus

By IAN COLVIN

Britain is unable to assist! Some public latrines in the

lief that if the Communists do reached the saturation point.

interfering with foreign proper-ties and business.
Some American firms believe for hotel accommodation.

that under the protection of In our opinion, shortage of their consulates, they will be accommodation may be a factor

able to trade with the Commun- in the increase in rents, but ists. This assumption may turn manipulation by profiteers plays out to be correct. What for- a big part in it.

eigners fear most is not the National Times: Hong Kong's Communists overrunning Shang- population is now placed at be-

hat but the possible chaos and | youd 2,000,000 as a result of the

confusion that will arise during influx of people from North the trainsition period. China and the Shanghai-Nan-

ceived due attention one after rivals here have bona' fide oc-

the other by the authorities cupations. The rest are unem-concerned. Public latrines, how- ployed and ordinary people.

ever, have been neglected and This will not only affect local

little improvements are seen to- law and order but also the day.

Wah Klu Yat Po: Since Liberu- king aren:

public latrines.

At the moment; the housing

problem appears to be the most

Only 50 per cent of the ar-

Army. We are the only nation, succouring Berlin there are two between Russia and the Atlantic other vital tasks to pursue. that will stand and fight."

I heard his argument many times, and so has the British Control Commission. Whereas the Soviet Union does not fear that its own pocket German Army will get out of hand, the British have the greatest misgivings. America is not so squeamish, but both British and Americans four that the sight of the field grey battalions would mean the end of France as

Caution

Yet I am informed that the French have cautiously considered trouble to study this bewildered No Frenchman wants to fight in defence of German soil while Germens look on.

I do not believe that it is inevitable to rearm the Germans. It der of Rhine Army, with a sinile, may be sufficient to show Stalin managers stood with me in one of when I asked him whether he at some critical stage of the Ber- the biggest plate-rolling mills in

is no doubt that the relations China at the present time. Her Central District and in the

between Great & Britain and hands off policy, nevertheless, is Wanchal area are still without

China are friendly. The fate of ill-advised. It is yet to early to lights at night. The existing

the Chinese people is ever in the comment on any probable change number is also inadequate to

minds of the British people. As in Sino-British relations. . That meet the need of the growing

China's civil war fronts gradual-

ly being spread towards the

families and foreign business-

area are evacuating to safer

places or making preparations

Some American firms have de-

take Shanghai they will refrain from molesting foreigners and

tion; public utilities have re-

Committee,

Sing Tao Wan Pao: With | Imagined;

The new Western currency must Be defended from a rise in prices. The occupation statute must be

agreed, giving Germans maximum scope to run their own affairs. divilised people, and we no longer

Robertson some months ago, Press Club, there is not an Allied club in Germany to which a German may be invited. At a tran- man trade unions. sit hotel an elderly official recently objected to our German nannie sitting with my children ht table. The number of British officials in Germany from encouraging: who speak German and take the party systems. They have al-

Vital Steel

Two or three perplexed German

surgence of the war spirit.

There must be wider plans, Our social policy, too, has nearly discredited democratey by thrusting it upon the Germana. The British Government has worked on the principle that social-democracy can do no wrong, and that the trade unlong in Germany would prevent a re-

forder was received to dismantle

The Germans argued that their

Imported to Germany three years

ago seem preity and outworn.

First Clash

Now it was the trade unlons "They are a Christian and a in Prague who carried arms in support of the police when Benezi owe them ill-will," said General was overthrown. The first severe clash of street fighting that has Yet, with the exception of the occurred in the American Zone since the war in Stutigart between military police and Ger-

> The Western Allies would do well not to hope for security readly gone too far in that direction. A few years of wise and benevolent rule are more essen-

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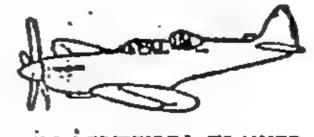
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to base her plea on the tradi-

tional Chinese - American

friendship, the view that the

fighting a war on behalf of all

anti-Communist countries, and

too late to save China from the

advancing Communist armies.

If advance information is cor-

raid Mme. Chlong is recking in

The Generalisatmo's water above

was reported asking for an Am-

erican declaration of support for

Generalissimo Chiang, speediag

nems shipments and assignment

of a major US military mission

to run the war against the

Presidential advisers indicated

they have virtually lost con-

fidence in the ability of the Gen-

eralissimo, whose armies have

been almost continuously on the

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PRECAUTION

New Delhi, December 10.

To prevent the recurrence of

communal disturbances, Indian police have arrested 800 people

so far in a new drive against the

militant Hindu organisation, the

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Communists.

Washington, December 11.

President Harry Truman listened sympathetically yesterday to a plea by Madamo Chiang Kaishok for new American aid to China's hard pressed Nationalist government.

They talked over the China crisis for about half an hour at Blair House after five o'clock tea, which Mrs. Truman attended.

Madame Chiang stated her case and the President listened sympathetically, Eben Ayres, Press Secretary, told newsmen.

Mme Chinng told reporters | They said before the meeting the President was the one to Mr. Trumm could offer Mme. report on the conference, It Chiang little hope on her plea, was her first meeting with Me. except a promise to give the Truman since she arrived 10 situation serious continuing days ago on a hurried unofficial study. It is not a question of mission for the anti-Communist for China, they emphasised, but Nanking regime.

Mr. Ayres said he did not culties. - Mme Chiang again, E After the meeting she left with ! Mrs George Marshall, wite of the Secretary of State, to return ! to the Marchall being at Lees-1 burg, Virginia, where the has been a givent since his arrival.

Serious Study ... Diplomatic officials were frankly sceptical of the result of the conference being anything upproaching all out aid to China

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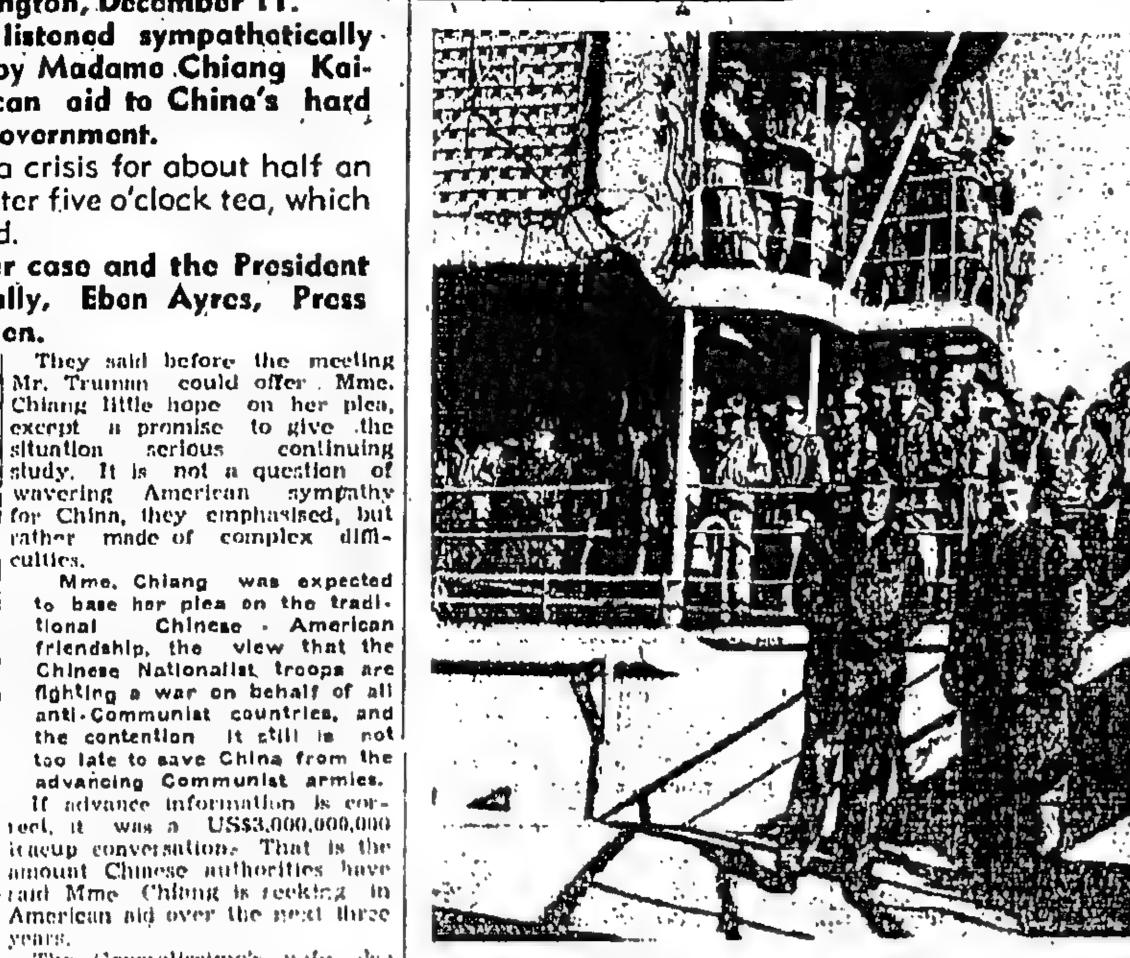
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Now Six Convicted Japanese Appealing

Washington, Docomber 11.

officials convicted by an international military tribunal at Tokyo were filed on Friday in the United States Supreme Court.

A proposal that Madame The court has agreed to hold a hearing next Thursday on the appeals, filed previously for seven other Japanese war lords.

Hideki Tojo (Kimura was sen- validly set up. in an open letter to the Re- chief of staff in the Philippines Associated Press. verend Paifrey Perkins, Chair . . also sentenced to hang); man of the College's Board, of General Yoshijiro Umez, former the election of Chinsee women Army and a signer of the leaders as a boon to internation japanese surrender (sentenced tional goodwill. She said that to life imprisonment) and choice would be of 'twofold Mamoru Shigemitsu, ageing, peg-legged statesman ... | who | went aboard the battleship age Commission today awarded

death sentence,

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ting display outer.

Same Contentions

New York attorney William Logan, Jr. filed Friday's appeals. He asked the court to hear them next Thursday with the appeals

for seven other Japanese. Logan made the same contentions as were made in the gases of the seven who filed earlier appeals; namely that the Far East Military Tribunal was illegally constituted by MacArthur.

The Supreme Court will hear arguments on, whether it has any jurisdiction to consider the appeals. In the event the court

Appeals on behalf of four more Japanese wartime

Friday's appeals were filed on [eventually decides it does have behalf of: General - Heitaro jurisdiction, it may also rule a Kimura, Vice Minister of War the same time on whether throughout the Premiership of considers the military tribuna: tenced to hang): Lieutenant Previous appeals were filed on behalf of General Kenji Doihara and former Premier Koki Hirota.

Trusteus, Miss Exchum urged chief of stall of the Japanese MANILA TO HAVE FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

Manila, December 11. The United States War - Dam-Missouri to sign the surrender US\$500,000 to Manda for a fice terms in Tokyo Bay (sentenced alarm system in the wake of a Hideki Tojo who is also under a million dollars in three months.

Rangoon, December 10.

The Promier, addressing -- the-Bunna Chamber of Commerce, said the Government, while acconding preferential treatment to to seven years imprisonment), disastrous series of fires which Burmese nationals, would give No appeal has been flied for have cost the city more than a the necessary assistance to foreign businessmen provided their en-In the past week fires have des- terprises were "beneficial to both troyed 10 business concerns and investors and Burma, and do not hotel with damages in excess infringe the principles of the of US\$150,000 .- Associated Press. Burma Constitution."-Reuter.



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NEXT STOP SHANGHAI SHANGHAI? ASIA FLOOD CONTROL

Sydney, December 11.

should not infringe on sovereign-

ty or be subject to political pri-

Mr. Cowen said the first

clause was arbitrary and thr

second carried political im-

The conference agreed to start

Food Meeting

The Commission, advised by

the Food and Agricultural Or-

ganisation that there is no early

prospect of the ECAFE region

decided to call a meeting of

ECAFE governments as soon as

sentatives of FAO. Mr. Cowen,

United States wants to give the

money available through the

Commission for reconstruction

He said financial aid must be

They will meet with repre-

its flood control bureau with a

budget of £35,000 Australian

by India and Pakistan.

and consultants.

The Far East Economic Commission yesterday decided on a programme of Asiatic flood control. Base of the flood control plans will be at Shanghai, where the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East will be setting up its Secretariat headquarters next year.

Delegates were told by chief | lng for a US\$14,000.000,000 in U.S. representative Myron M. dustrial programme for Asia was Cowen they could not expect deferred until next year. Russian Reverse the U.S. to provide Marshall plan for Asla, though the Russia suffered what one dele-United States wants to aid gate described as a major re-

verse yesterday. Russian spon-Asiatic countries. sored clauses in a resolution on conference Anancing economic development Nepal, Northern India state, to of the Far East were deleted. membership. The Indonesian The first clause said resources Republic was admitted to assoof ECAFE countries should be clate membership under Dutch used for development of the reprotest. The rest of Indonesia also was made an associate gion. The second clause said investment of foreign capital and granting of economic assistance

Consideration of a report call-

Athens, December 11. Cesare Rubirosa, 41, Domini- (US\$133,000). It will be stoffed by a chief, two expert associates can Charge D'affaires in Switzerland, was fined \$200,000 and given a six months gaol sentence without right of appeal in Athens on Friday for having attempted to smuggle out of Greece more than \$100,- becoming self sufficient in food, 000 in foreign currency.

His woman companion, Yvonne agricultural experts from all Heury, 25-year-old Swiss, described by Rubirosa as his secretury and future wife, was fined \$70,000 and sentenced to three They who is also Ambassador to Ausmouths imprisonment. were arrested here on Wednes- tralin, told the conference the

The money seized in the fullest possible aid to Asia and amuggling attempt was confine the Far East, but will not make cated by the Greek Government, bringing the total involved to \$370,000.

Rubirosa denied the prosecution charges that he "traded" with arranged between the lender unidentified persons in Athens, and borrower, whether the lender describing them as "phantoms." sis a private individual corpora-Referring to an admitted 15 or tion, international bank or gov-16 trips to Greece this year, ernment itself. He emphasised Rubirosa said he made frequent there is a limit to how much the lourneys to Egypt on special mis- United States can give away. sions for his Government and pointing out the working political those necessitated passing through tion of the U.S. is only about 600

Letters and notes found in Rubirosa's baggage listing scores of transactions and sums of money were produced by the prosecution. Rubirosa kaid they were given ilm in Geneva for delivery in Egypt,-Associated Press.

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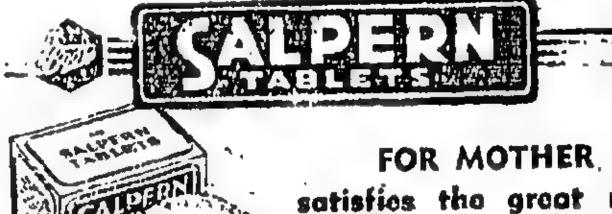
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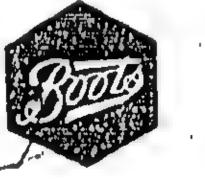
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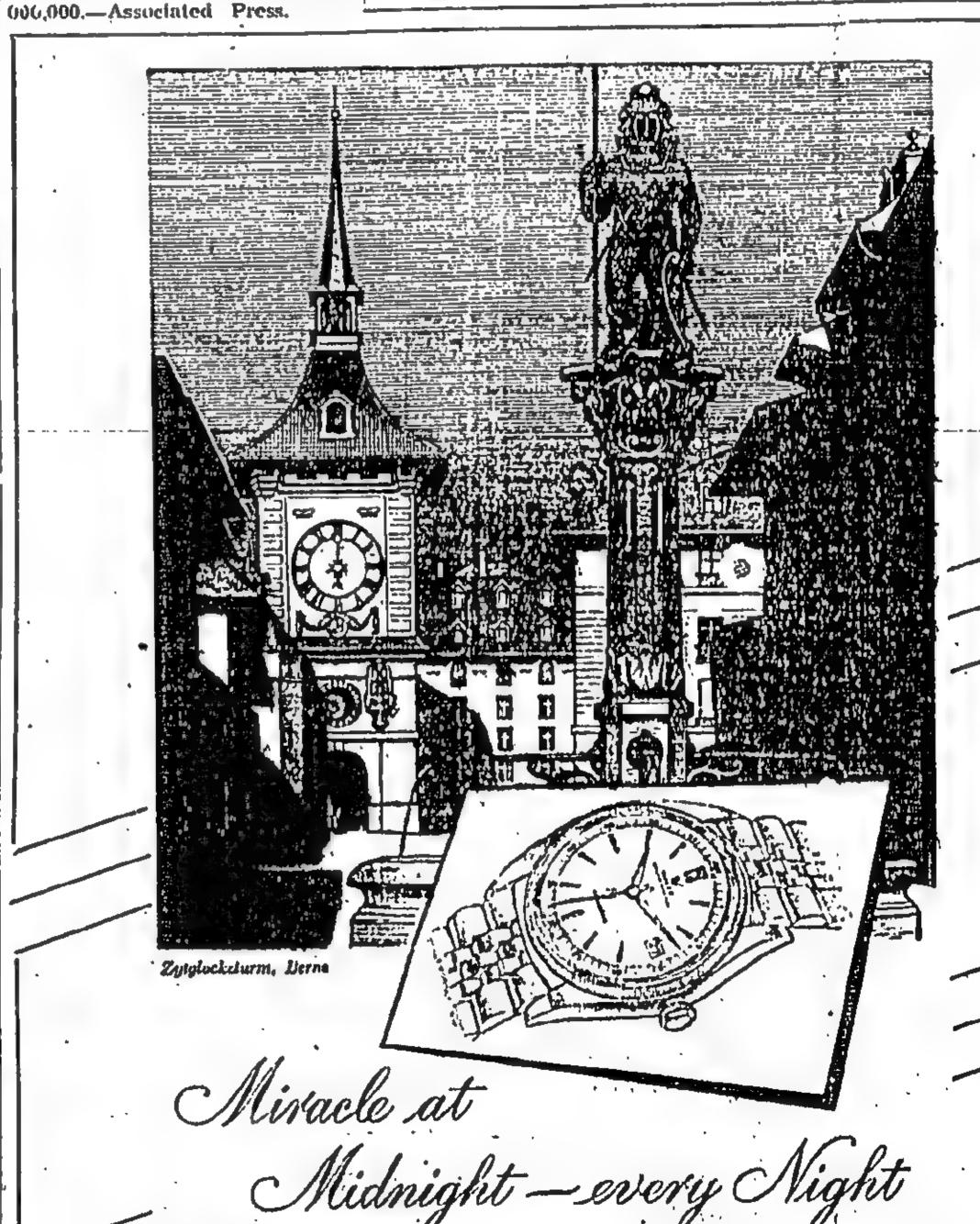
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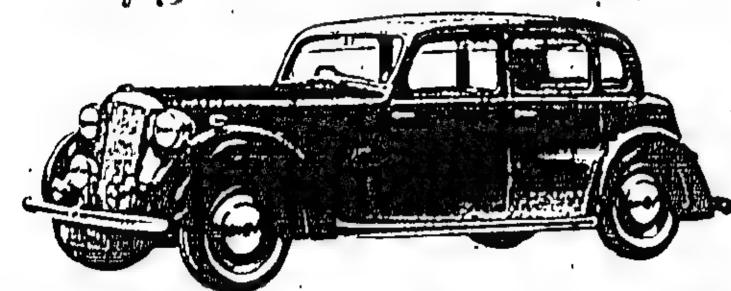
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last century, when Munich had

its own court and Royal trap-

Anti-Semitism

cellar in Munich is now used smallholders are still waiting do-Nazification cases that pracpartly as a basket ball stadium Out of 95,000 acres due from tically every family in Bavaria for American troops and partly private estates in Bayaria fewer was implicated and so became as a soda fountain.

Hitler's brown house is still a of his 50,000 acres. Most of the Germany," one official told me mound of red brick ruins or counts, dukes etc. of Bavaria but we forgot to make a plate." which no contractor's knockdown board has yel appeared. But nevertheless Munich, tribal city of the Nazis, is beginning once more to live, and here in Southern Germany I find the first place where it is openly admitted that old memorics are beginning to stir.

Already an air of glittering and unreal prosperity is regilding Bayaria. German pleasure skiers are using precious current to have themsives electrically more, after ski-ing, they can drink foaming 8% Lowenbra bear which is I believe about the early part of the wash verdict being given. beer which is, I believe, about twice the strength permitted is Britain, Around Munich is a collar of fat sheep, rich timber and well fenced orchards and under the soft lights of Munich restaurants I have been watching the big landowners-the Junkers of 1948 as they might be called—feeding off goose and

Discontent

And among both rich and poor in Bayaria I have come across the most bilter discontent against the American occupation and the new German republic which the Western powers hope to set up

The newly formed Bavarian party which demands independence for the province is making heavy progress and thousands of market. the weekly meetings held by the pint sized volcanic fireball, Dr. Baumgariner, a cartoonist's slipped through the de-Nazifica- favourable setting. dream whose black hair shoots tion net. Graded by fellow up from each side of the fore- Germans as category to the head like the horns of an amiable while Nazi "Fellow Travellers" | ECA | hind him the big landowners to take up life exactly where whose star seems to be growing they left off. As experts, many more powerful every day. In of them have found influential Moscow, once, the four powers jobs in the all powerful Bi-zone agreed to split up the big Ger- Administration at Frankfort. man feudal estates, and a Ger- Other Nazi camp followers have man land reform law, approved taken over their own factories Administration announced today by the Americans, provided that again, have ousted the trustees that a \$750,000 survey of the all farms of more than about 250 who have been running the Greek electric power supply and

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accumulated profits. And these

Two other mistakes of the American authorities have helped the old regime in its struggle to take from nine menths to a sea before, to regain the saddle. The first year.—Reuter.

Hitler's invourite burgerbrau part to smallholders. Today the mistake was to take on so many than 10,000 have been given up, ready to light the courts. and 300 appeal cases involving Secondly the occupation authori-"Don't forget your hot pop more than 80,000 acres have yet ties failed to fill the empty Nazi corn" says the notice outside the to be heard. One noble has de- posts with something better. livered little more than a 20th "We drew the teeth of Nuz

> And so the return of the Junkers and the Nazi camp followers has discouraged most Germans from giving evidence before the de-Nazification courts. Some who have already testified in primary courts have withdrawn their evidence before appents could be heard.

American officials tell me that in Bayaria alone 7,000 of the Juicier cases are still waiting to be heard and that the longer these cases are delayed by the pulled up the mountain, and one kind of independence that the German authorities, the more

So far as I can tell, there is no conscious or very articulate movement yet on foot to revive the National Socialist creed. Werewolf pumphlets which appear from time to time seem to come from unrealists still living And from Bayaria comes an- in the past and the real planners. other trace of the old Germany if they exist, are far too sensible the smoke of anti-semitism. In to cause alarm while the Ameriit is the departure platform for can forces are still in occupation. the trek of thousands of Jews Even the efforts which are being towards Israel, and observers made to get former Nazi sym-Jews of West Germany are now by be explained by the fact that river Isar, you will see so many former anti Nazis.

are written in Hebrew. Once day it would not be too hard to I came in." again conspicuous, the Jews are turn back the hands of the cue- Up on the flight deck ratings getting themselves talked about koo clock of Bavaria and, for a semmpered to their stations, their and rightly or wrongly accused revival of German nationalism, faces keen, but as white as the of "Being behind all the black you would find here in Havaria, wavecaps because, for many of among the old leather breeches, them, it was their first sea trip Finally on the road back, to shaving brush hats and, it must and the weather had been rough pre-war Germany are the thou- be added, double breasted in the Bay of Biscay. sands of Bavarians who have shoulder padded suits a most

In Greece

acres should be handed over in works in the meantime, and are water utilisation, potentialities beginning to enjoy a fat hunt of would be made soon.

An American engineering firm same factories get quotas of raw had been appointed to make the materials based on their 1938 survey and would be authorised production. (Whereas the would- to spend \$650,000 of Marshall be rival who may have been in | Plan money and the equivalent a concentration camp in 1936 has of \$100,000 of Greek currency no production figure to fall back from the counterpart funds the

The ECA and the Greek Gov-Other Mistakes ernment had selected the Acheloos, Ladhon, Vodhas and Louras rivers for the survey "as having

When one of his Gents strayed from the herd, the Goutherd in temper threw a stone, breaking off one of the Goat's horse. Alatmed, he begged the Goat not to tell his master. To which the Goat replied, "Oh, feelish one, my hors will tell the story though I say not a word."

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Sea Vamps'

Abound the Aircraft-carrier If you pass down the Mothlens- to feel politically maked when flyer whom I lust met in the at Hatfield. trasser on the East side of the surrounded by an office-full of Pacific rose from his chair in This means that Britain leads being offered for the remainder, the wordroom and said: "Well, the way in naval air warfare, and "But then what?" asks a pilot. Jews that even the street signs | But all the signs are that one here we go again. This is where

The Beginning

Navy's biggest post-war exercises JUTYCY -historic in their way, for it was footers. the first time that 500 m.p.h. jetpropelled Sea Vampires had scorched the steel flight decks with their belching wakes of orange flame, and the first time bachelor. Both land these whinthat a battle technique was to be based on the assumption that atomic bombs would be dropped, deck was a mile wide and as A very silent Service since the stendy as the earth. war, the Navy is now staging its first "Atomie Air-Sea Exercises,"

and few naval events have been watched with such interest. Among the observers are atomic the "control island" scientists, jet-propulsion experts,

things to come in naval wartere. Barracudas packed tight with These exercises are imaginative latest anti-submarine devices. in conception and bold of execution. It has to be remembered technicians who are calling the. that many ratings are fresh from tune, and this Sea Vampire is

The Objective

The object of these exercises threefold: 1.-To exercise all forms air-sen war tactics;

2.-To envisage as far as possible the use of atomic bombs; 3 .- To try out the latest untisubmarine devices and experiment with jet-propelled carrier aircraft. So in later stages we shall join units of the Home Fleet now returning from West Indies and make a wholesale attack upon Plymouth. For the past few days our 81! Squadron of war-tried Barracudas has been rehearsing for its expected hunt of up to 20 sub-

ntinck us. But very much top of our bil are these jet-propelled Sea Vampires that land on the deck at This is the first time that jet-

something over 90 miles an hour. propelled aircraft have been used from carriers in flect exercises. The Americans are experimenting with carrier . jets, but have not yet used them in exercises. their future does not damp the

The "Vamps" are carefully enthusiasm of the flying crews here believe that 90% of the pathisers into key jobs can part- Illustrious, off the Cost of Spain. nursed by a small posse of engi-1 of the Air Branch. Only 100 When they sounded action neers and the special adviser permanent commissions are to be a swastika camp follower is apt stations this morning the naval from the de Havilland factory granted out of about 500, but ex-

By Graham Stanford

by the time the exercises are over we are hoping that the "Vampa" will complete 200 landings. They deed is where we came in. are piloted by 27-year-old Lieut, This was the beginning of the George Baldwin and 25-year-old Lieut, Keith Shepherd, both six-

Boldwin is married and has a "sprog," which in air naval talk means a child. Shepherd is a ing, roaring, Verne-like machines as, though the pitching flight

Young ratings watch fascinated as the whining, howling yellow "bats" do nerobatics, and there is a "full house" of spectators on they come in to land. It is all and Dominion militury officers, a very far cry from Nelson's day, and from the results back-room with Jets burning up the steel boys may devise the shape of deck and with cockpits of the For in this naval age it is the their latest offering.

... It is_too_early_yet_to make-any assessment of the lesson that may be learned from these exersises. Which would be the greatest menace-atomic bomb, submarine, or rocket projectile? what of the design of the future carrier? These queries form the

basis of nightly discussions, There is no peace-time cruise atmosphere about the Home Fleet today. Officers and ratings are geared to make these exercises the most realistic ever staged. One observer abound is an Australian major who is to become nir linison officer in Australia's first carrier, the Sydney, which will sail from Brituin next year, Observers report that they are Impressed with the efficiency of this carrier, which until a few-

marines which are expected to days ago was being used for training. The Home Fleet has certainly "shaken down" well on its West Indian cruise. Refuelling and revictualling a sea have become routine, and the

lessons learned in the Pacific wai have been well carried out, The Future' And even uncertainty about

tended four-year commissions are "What's going to happen to me when I am too old for flying?"

Surely something more can be done to give greater security to these men who are the spearhend of the Navy's striking force. But now they're sounding action stations again and the ship is alive with running men This in-

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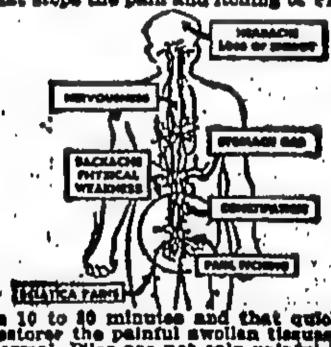
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INTERVIEW

North Anhwei Front, December 11. We who went to war on a handcar were lucky. Most of the people had to walk.

Supplied with a motorised car by the Tientsin-Pukow railroad, a group of foreign newsmen left Pengpu for the area 25 miles North-West of here where roofless villages and still burning huts attested to the struggle in which the Nationalist Armies slowly were pushing Li Po Cheng's rearguard back from the Huni riverline.

we bounced in the back of a group, of 99th Division troops six by six truck over new cut they say, must be beaten because roads trying to keep pace with they are trying to destroy China. the frontline troops.

The battlefield is flat us u table, broken only by villages of n few hundred people ench where, in happier times, the riel buryest of the Antise plain are gathered. Today the villages are remisabundanes i mues, tame fought over in a serie

Twelve miles North West Tanolaochi one could hear ex plasions of artillery in a semi circle as the Nationalist forces pushed steadily forward.

From Army Gloup heariquat ters through the army to the Division Command post it was evident the Nationalist supply system, which in the past often a functioned budly, was working well now Munitors were plentiful, even in advanced peri- As form as the winter runs hold off the Stacks should be able to keep the line open-Food Forays

Rice is also plentiful but in like all other fromline oldrers. formged for additional food Three horky Bushanere near

hendquarters chosed a fat. Dubbeedless of heavy guidire, and finally enught and depatched the pig, heedless of the farmers who ernuched in their buts afraid of the soldiers of both rides.

In the fields soldiers grimy battle duo radiahes Commanders said it was use less to try to stop them claimed the formers had ready abandoned the food.

A surprising number of Nu-Honalist troops are veterans who any they like army life. Many too, showed evidence of political Indoctrination Which has been absent from part government for 9 armies.



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Russia is Enemy

These enemies, said one 1 year-old trooper who claimed to have served four years in the ranks, are being supplied arms by Russin; therefore Russia too, ts "our enemy"

One officer who boasted be graduated from Chungking's [Central Political Institute, shouted in English, "Don't forget to tell the would we are lighting 'ommunism out kere.'

On our return trip the bot tom of the truck was occuped by groaning Nationalist wounded. On the road We picked up three more, all waiting with bandaged wounds for a lift to the railhhad. "Those Communists are fieree. fighters," said the lender of the "But we me fleree fight-

"Why is morale so high," we asked. One beardless Sergeant the advance areas the Chinese, ratting a pair of silver dollars Into held them up and said, "This is why," indicating they have been getting pay. Associated Press.

Fortification Of Taiwan

Tokyo, December 11. simpapeses Tropatriates from Taiwan report that the Chinese Nationalist Government are busily fortifying the island as a base in the China civil war. According to a report carried in the Maiolchi Shimbun the repatriates arrived from Keelung' aboard the Kajo Maru on Decem-

They reported the former Jupmese Navy barracks are being to train recruits, Large numbers of armed soldliers are arriving in Taiwan in

In other vessels, refugees were arriving in Taiwan with household goods from Manchuria and North China. There was one sailing each day for Shanghal, but that has been increased recently to ten, it was stated.-





Dr. Sun Fo (left), recently named Prime Minister of China, is interviewed by Fred Hampson, Associated Press bureau chief, in Dr. Sun's home in Shanghai. American. educated. Dr. Sun attended the University of California and

Columbia University. An Associated Press report from Shanghai states that Dr. cessful operation for the removal of a tumour on his leg. His continued hospital room conferences on Cabinet formation and is expected to return to Nanking on Sunday, AP Photo.

What Colour Pet Song?

Los Angeles, December 11. the darkened wards of Ameicra's insane asylums has come a new form of art, but its discoverers don't know what to do with it. It is called "auroratone," and the man guiding its

development is Larry Crosby, who with his brother, the singer, Bing Crosby, heads the Crosby Research Foundation.

It was invented by Cecil Stokes, an Englishman. Auroratone is a process for of providing the visual senses translating music into colour. Essentially, it is a film. The familiar patterns of music are translated on a theatre screen into colour patterns, constantly stitutions with remarkable ofshifting tones in every hue of feet on stereotyped cases of mothe rainbow, subtly—changing for Instability, such as wringing with the mood of the music. Depending on the music, the the (body, effect can be relaxing, stimulating or emotionally disturbing.

The principle is simple. nausical vibrations register on a sensitised emulsion photographed by a colour film camera. Each note creates a different colour pattern in the emulsion. The colour film of these shifting changes is synchronised with the freely.

is the answer," says Crosby, "to the age-old dream i

with an art form whose effect on the eyes is comparable to that of music on the ear."

This combination of music and art has been tried in several inof hands and striking of parts of Captain Robert E. Rubin,

patients subject to the new treatment become more accessiimmediately following exwhose speech was previously blocked or retarded, spoke more

The Future

The music-films were shown in 250 war intigue and 31 locked ward psychotics in a Naval | sions. hospital. Most of the fatigue cases responded very favourably, many going sound to sleep. Nearly all said they felt rested. afterwards. Of the locked ward patients one third went to sleep. The rest were obsolutely quiet as they watched the film.

they give us more stuff like

therapeutic field for application of his new discovery. Some day, he said, people may eat breakfast from plates painted to the strains of "Oh Beautiful Morning." Already silk scarves have been manufactured to the tune of "Home On" The Range,"-Associated Press.

JAPANESE DIET ANXIETY

Tokyo, December 11.

Anxious Japanese politicians turned to their last Parliamentary task today before hearing the public's verdict at an impending general election-scandals touching nearly every faction of the Diet.

The immediate problem was passage of a large supplementary budget with which to meet proposed government payroll increases and other year end expenses.

The Diet is scheduled to be dissolved, early next week through an agreement reached between the Government and opposition parties. After passage of the budegt a non-confidence resolution will be passed and Prime - Minister Shigeru Yoshida will call a new election for sometime next year,

Double Wages

The Government's supplementary budget now totals 70, 350,705,000 Yen. This is to be added to the already exhausted but record general budget of 414,000,000,000 Yen. (The total is about US\$1,600,000,000 in purchasing value.)

Among the Items in the supplamentary budget is a general doubling of average government wages to 6,300 Yen a month. This is reportedly supported by some factions and opposed by others. Some unions are saking for more.

The financial bill was being considered in Committee today with prospects slight that : could reach the plenary session this afternoon—the original schedule.

Nearly 60 political lenders including former Prime Minister Hitoshi Ashida are under interrogation regarding a series of bribery scandals which have shocked Japan.

Correct Year To Invisible Error

Los Angeles, December 11. Astronomers who have waited 20 years to probe a billion light porting in Journal of Clinical | years into space through the 200inch lens of the world's largest telescope at Palomar University must await another year, because of an error of twentymillionths of an inch.

Scientists here discovered that the outer rim of the lens, polished inbouriously for years, is just that much too high. It will take almost another year to pare off the rim to the correct dimen-

Built at a cost of over \$4 million, the telescope has taken more than 20 years to per-

Craftsmen began polishing its great, curved magnifying mirror One man said, "why don't in 1936 and except for an interval during the war, have been at it ever since. They have But Crosby looks beyond the smoothed the 16-feet diameter nilrror down to within two-millionths of an inch of evenness and have gradually powdered away five tons of glass.

A million times as sensitive to light as man's eye, the mirror is expected to show details, on the moon as small as a house.-Reuter, '. '.

Members of every major party have been involved Nevertheless, Yoshida's Demoeratic Liberal Party expects to gain an election majority unless as some Japanese say-"It be-

comes a Truman election,"-As-

sociated Press.

Evacuation To Macao Of Portuguese

Shanghai, December 11. The Portuguese Residents Association announced in an official circular that the voluntary evacuation of local Portuguese to Macao will take place some time during this month, according to the North China Daily News.

Through the assistance of the Philippines Consul General, it was stated that an evacuation ship will leave Shanghai in the third or fourth week of December for Hong Kong, where transshipment to Macao will be ar-

The ship is said to be a freighter and some 300 steerage passages are available to local Partuguese who must -pay--for--the--evacuation--themselves, the fare being between U8\$35 to U8\$40 per person.

In order, to ascertain the wishes of its members regarding evacuation, the Association circularised a questionnaire asking whether they wish to avail themselves of the opportunity of leaving on the evacuation ship; will! evacuate only in an emergency, and when ordered by the Portuguese authorities; or will refuse to evacuate.-Reuter.

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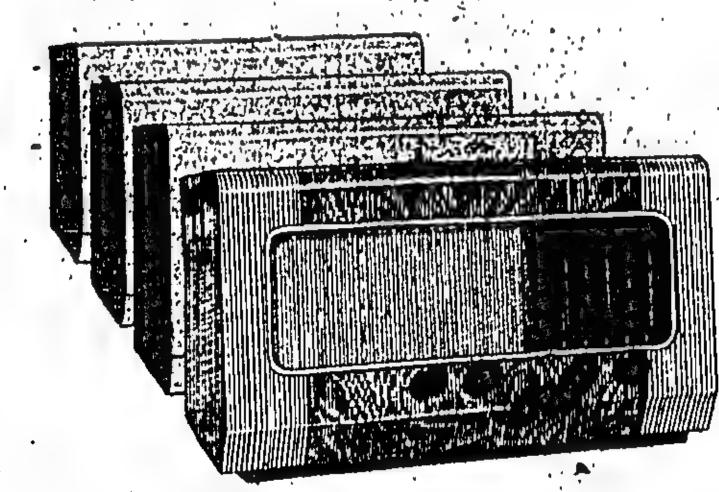
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Not necessarily the same kind skin with a very mild tonle

for a variety of purposes....to Clay or mud packs, which re

nourish, to soften, to whiten, to fine the skin and iron out the line

soothe, smoothe out wrinkles, wrinkles, must be used with the

or just as a quick pick-me-up before applying so that the pack

applied once a week, will go a These packs dry hard, so it is

long way towards keeping the obsolutely vital to keep the face

skin on an even level of good still and motionless or the pack tone, and help to avoid all those will crack and stretch the skin

temporary conditions of dry- beneath, doing harm rather than ness, and roughness from which good. Remove by rinsing with

even the most good tempered lots of warm water to melt the

cream or milk. Then wash with most beneficial influence un

warm oil and press it gently on one which fulfils all these furic-

away the surplus and brace the good makes to choose from,

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dry ... and it will dry very

tions, simply made from fine

warm water and a rich lathering wrinkles and strain lines.

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Many & college and career; The above quaint little suit; prettily cuffed at hipling.

MASK FOR BEAUTY

Jo Collins has offered this

which acts as a sort of facial

ing the skin and taking away

that tired feeling which follows

the seasonal run of parties and

with life and freshness.

"In normal cases you can start cocktail, stimulating and refresh-

Hair, skin, and nalls Bre cer-

of a new face for the evening. If the hair can be shampooed They are simple to apply, just a at home and dried by hand in spread of cream over a clean the sunlight for a while, so much face, and can be removed with the better. A lemon rinse will water or cleaning cream. Com- help to brighten it, and a difbined with 20 minutes of com- ferent combing and a new note. plete relaxation, they are the If it seems hard to make time

There is no value in having a permanent wave until the hair is conditioned to take it, nor new clothes until the figure is re-align ed; nor is any energetic exercise permissible until the doctor is consulted.

A woman doctor with two children of her own, who has been thoroughly modern and in-telligent about keeping her figure, maintains that if the figure was good before and almple rules of diet and exercise have been followed during and after having a baby, it should look as nice as

spirit as well as figure.

The chances are, though; that

and feel as vital as she wishes.

She says: "During your stay in hospital, deep-breathing exercises should be taken three times cuch day. During these periods, breathe deeply through the nose

and mouth ten times. "While in hospital certain leg exercises can, be taken, under supervision. Lying on the back, carefully 'exercise thighs and legs as if riding a

Do this three times daily for two or three minutes daily for two or three minutes each time to stimulate circula-

doing the knee-chest exercise in bed after the first week, and when up and about again the knee-chest movement should be done regularly night and morn-

Scalp Massage

tain to need extra lubrication. Give the thir at least a month of It is really a body and can be oiling, scalp massage, and brushused whenever you feel the need ing before having that perm.

best facial pick-me-up I know for personal grooming think of and will leave the skin tingling this: a child's first ideas of beauty will come from its mother.

Strong, Management

-If I-try to talk-over a-legitimate-i fired at me-by-one-member_keep. pack so that it can be wiped grievance with my wife she me fighting back tears. The first step in the prepara- away with pads of cotton wool. a barrage of irrelevant comments tions for any mask or pack is to Then tone with skin tonic is and counter accusations.

mask and its work. So cleanse has an extraordinarily rejuvenation the whole matter as "just one of by trying to keep back tears."

One with a soft light cleansing ing effect on a tired face and a my letters."

—ALISON. first with a soft, light cleansing ing effect on a tired face and a my letters."

What, then?-BAFFLED.

of facial soap. Rinse clear of Take the whites of two eggs, YOUR resorting to protest by every sud with lots of tepid beat them up a little, then paint letter is a confession of your water, dry, then work in the on to the face with a soft paint- failure to win your point by talk-Injest trace of cold cream.

brush, across the forehead, around ing. Naturally she airily dismember that with every the eyes and mouth, everywhere misses the mere repetition on mask there is a hidden ingredient that lines or wrinkles are to be principle.

Not that I think you could succeed here by the talking-over Allow this conting to dry, then technique. Trying to be reason-

quickly, apply a third and finh! The wiser way for you is to cont. Move the face muscles as choose your time carefully, state little as possible. When quite your case briefly and forcibly, dry, leave for a few minutes, and then yourself to refuse furthen remove with a cloth wrung ther comment or largument. out in warm water and a very Silonce is a good weapon more at your command. little superfatted soap if neces- ogainst those accustomed to get-Then there are yeast masks to but it must be strong silence. Cut the lint into shape with clear the skin, lemon and mag- It sometime induces those who

> I'm a grown-up cry-baby. oatmeal and water, mixed to a suggestion of reproof gets me on thick paste and spread over the the verge of tears.

Can you help me to conquer this weakness? I'm going on to an administrative, Job soon and No trace of dirt or make-up must A much casier mask to apply If I set out the fact dispas- simply can't afford to have my be allowed to get between the is a simple home-made one which signately in a letter she dismisses alertness, and judgment, deflected

SHEER tiredness is the biggest

single factor in the explanation of women's tears. Some very coplous weepers have an overnctive gland, others a psycho-logical maladjusiment, but mostly these days it's tiredness that does it, and maddening it is too. So revise your health habitsearly to bed, intelligent diet, fresh air, exercise, and in the meanline temember that lears paint over the entire face, except able with one who dodges reason for the eye sockets, and the mouth. When the second coat is like knocking about on a wall with a hummer and never findthe sarcastic question by a lightning: "What's wrong with this fellow? Wonder what's biting

> Just an Instantaneous flash of The lears are discouraged and your wits are actually all the

holes for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nostriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and nesia masks to bleach and look at the facts for the eyes, nestriis and the eyes at th mouth. Soak the lint in the whiten, and another home made look at the facts for themselves. Be the result of the distributions. often it is the result of having Difficulties rouse us. We may be comfortably saleep in our ly worm, but not too hot for comly worm, but not too hot for comlort. Leave on for 15 minutes
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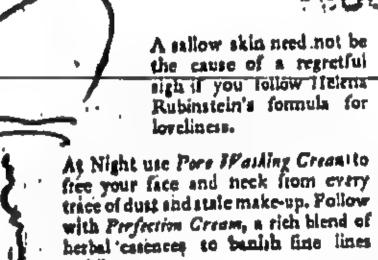
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DINNER GOWNS THAT ARE DIFFERENT

By JANET MARTIN

The first requirement of the ideal dinner gown is that it should look as charming sitting down as standing. The most exciting of draped or bouffant skirts suffer an oclipse bohind a dinner table, so special attention must be paid to details above the waist, to shoulders, necks and sleaves.

The two piece dinner gown, consisting of long skirt with contrasting top, is always a firm favourite, especially as it allows for an inexhaustible scope in ringing the changes with various tops, so that it can appear as the most demure of dimner frocks on one occasion and as a sophisticated evening gown on another.

A delightful , version this Long, fine succe gloves, flesh skirt hangs quite straight to unkle length, while the back

A suggested top for this skirt is in heavy white Ince. It has h deep, wide neckline, outlined by the serritions of the Ince edging, tiny cap sleeves and a little basque which fits to the figure at the front and dips into a ripple of stiffered fluting at the back, following the skirt line.

The sheathlike dinner gown is back again, high necked and with long sleeves which make a perfect background for lovely bracelets. Featuring the dipping hemline is a model in matelasso crope which sheathes the figure from high, slightly cowled neckline to unkle.

The skirt is drawn into a butich of gathers below the waist at the back, flowing into a fishthis which just brushes the floor. Long tight fitting sleeves are finished with the mediacyal point at the wrist, and clasped with jewelled bracelets, matching brooch and earrings.

Graceful Addition

. The stole, for evening wear, is a graceful addition at the dinner table on a chilly evening. A new original from London displays this idea in pitch brown satin, the near black which catches such subtle flints by artificial This model has a deep, round neckline, finished with a bins drape which covers the tops of the shoulders. The bodice is gathered at the sides. Slim skirt has a drape across the hack ligure at the front. At the hip-

with bluebottle green chiffon.

Another style of exquisite simblack coq feather corsage, long
blicity, in midnight blue crepe,
has a throat-high neckline at the
colour. front, failing into a deep, coivied decolletage at the back. The skirt-fits-slimly at the back. The designed is wrapped across at the front with a gathered panel, draped to point ripple down from the free edge.

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Bodice and skirt sheathe the



A dainty bouffant dinner gown, designed for Miss Janis Paige of Warner Bros., is illustrated as ideal for the younger set. Black point d'esprit, softly draped ncross the bodice, joins an ankle length full-gathered skirt, with ballerina underskirt of pure silk crepe. Note the delicate elbow sleeves with soft flounce.

BEAUTY HINT

Eye Dramatics: When Hp colour is light, eyes must be accentuated to make them seem larger, more colourful, and create a definite point of interest in the face.

Eyelids, deeply shadowed in blue, green, or violet, depending on the colour of the iris, are spectacular, but need expert handling. Those who prefer to play safe will find that a bit of oye cream or a drop of oil will produce a nice, dewy-eyed look, and a similarly moistened brush will streamline brows and fringe eye

lashes pleasantly.

Where lashes are scant, sandy or need a build-up for any reason; homescara brush moistened with oil instead of water gives a heavier, darker look.

Corky Roger's mother-in-law yas leaving after a long, long "What time did you say the

train left?" Mrs. Corky asked her husband. "In 16 hours, 62 minutes,

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Home Made London Models

BY JOAN WHITE

London's leading fashion de-istanding shawl to match, cover signers might almost have been working hand in glove with you and me this season, for their collections have been full

different.

London collections, keeping an alert eye bpen for those distincof the big couturiers and which can be easily adapted to our own individual needs.

In Löndon two-pieces in twends hild sultings are being made to weter right through the day, from morning shopping to 'cockthils at six, for beneath their sterrily dresses. One was in popper-andsnit tweed; beneath its businesslike jacket the dress had a black velvet bodice. If therefore your thin flexible tweeds which have belt_to_the_dress.

Sometimes the top of the dress carry out at home?

and follow instructions implicitly. like an Arab burnous. Silk jersey is a good material for carly attempts at gloves.

Travelling Clothes

of interesting ideas which can be easily copied by the girl with the small pay packet and big ideas.

Now we know that fashions have settled into a wearable combination of thought to travel clothes within a few hours of London.

Therefore adaptable acrosweight season has a black silk taffeta tinted, are worn, with pearl skirt with the new uneven hemline. The front of the found the most sophisticated dinner hips, and discreetly emphasised hips, and discreetly emphasised the constant is a few most sophisticated dinner hips, and discreetly emphasised hips, and are likely to stay that is a few most sophisticated bination of soft shoulders, near and sea-worthy ensembles playgown I have seen this season is a shorter skirted model, in black mousseline crepe. It has a deep, sure that they will not be ousted first believe it or not simply enflutes out into a fantail of deep square neck and little sleeves. In a week by something quite first, believe it or not, simply entails a button and a button-hole. I have been toiling round the Fasten a large button to the crown of your pull-on sports hat. make a corresponding buttenhole

tive details which mark the work in the hood of your topcont, and drhughts round the neck are banished for ever, Another draught-excluder which wins top marks from me for glamour was a series of variations on the enpand-sears theme by Adele of Grosvenor Street.

Sometimes the cap had a strong tailored juckets are very feminine family likehess to those worn by the French Foreign Legion, with vakish brims, the front of the crown tucked horizontally to give a good line, while from the top of the crown fell a square of fine wool or wool jersey, matching or appeared lately, you can easily contrasting, to be tied under the make it follow London's lead by chin; or crossed behind and tled adding a beaded or sequinned in front of the brim; or in a knot

The advantage of this, for sea would be of contrasting crepe- travel particularly, weeds no emde-chine or satin, darted on to a phasis; tied firmly under the chin high corselet-waisted kkirt; in and tucked into the enveloping this case the jacket lining would collar of your travel cost, it keeps match the top, and there might your cars warm and your hair he gloves of the same silk. This immaculate, while, in the shelter is an idea which at once stamps of the cocktail lounge, your topan outfit as the work of a inds- coat thrown aside, it can be knotter, yet what could be simpler to ted up into a more sophisticated style to keep your dress company. Even the making of gloves is Sometimes the searf, drawn firmnot so tricky as you might im- ly round the back of the hat, is agine, provided you get a really looped on to a button above each good pattern, cut out accurately, car and the ends drafted in front

Incidentally, don't bother to tie your scarves afresh every time whist, released at the left to sweep to the hem, then curved round and caught in the right side-seam. With this gown is a drapes to the hem. The lates at the front. At the hip-way, in vivid lame and tiniel ingup the scart first, in supple fabrics were worn with many of velvet, brisk faille, wool or crope-bow. terminating in cascade the dinner gowns. Does that de-chine; then it is fastened firm-side-seam. With this gown is a drapes to the hem. Details com- suggest a way to ring the changes to with bluffibitle when chilling piete the sophisticated air ... with your "good black" dinner with process situits.



"Dour Mr. Mamak, that smooth look on my face. The last but the most importdo? NOT-80-8MOOTH.

all important smoothness which is the aim and object of make-up. The trick is in the blending. Use your finger-tips, to blend gently, smoothly until the desired effect is achieved.

Powdering is another, process which requires a definite technique if you want your make up to look good. Of all the defects in powdering the face, the most common are "over-powdering" and "uneven distribution," not to mention wrong shades.

and working upwards. Never

though it may mean powdering seem to do. My nose looks after you have applied the powface looks larger. What can I above. All superfluous powder must be brushed off. A powder Apparently you do not blend and if expertly used, it not only your make-up foundation to that climinates the danger of your face looking over-powdered, but also evenly distributes the pow-der to the face, thus providing a

smooth Inish. Penhaps you are using a shade of powder that is too light for you, an this is the reason why your face looks larger after makeup. Try, a warmer shade, just, a tone darker, than your natural skin. It your face is too wide, apply optical illusion in your make-up—that is, use a darker trake-up on the sides of your face and lighter on the rest. But I must warn you that such tricks Some women simply rub their faces with the powder puff, which results in a strenky make-up. The powder stiould always be pressed on starting, from the neck will be clownish.

Of course, the first requisite of powder down. The nose should a smooth make up is a clean, receive attention last of all and clear skin. A good cleansing should be lightly powdered al- cream is simply a MUST ITEM.

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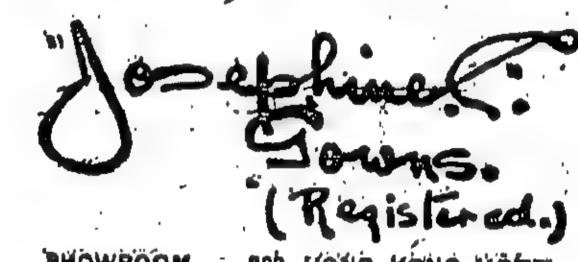
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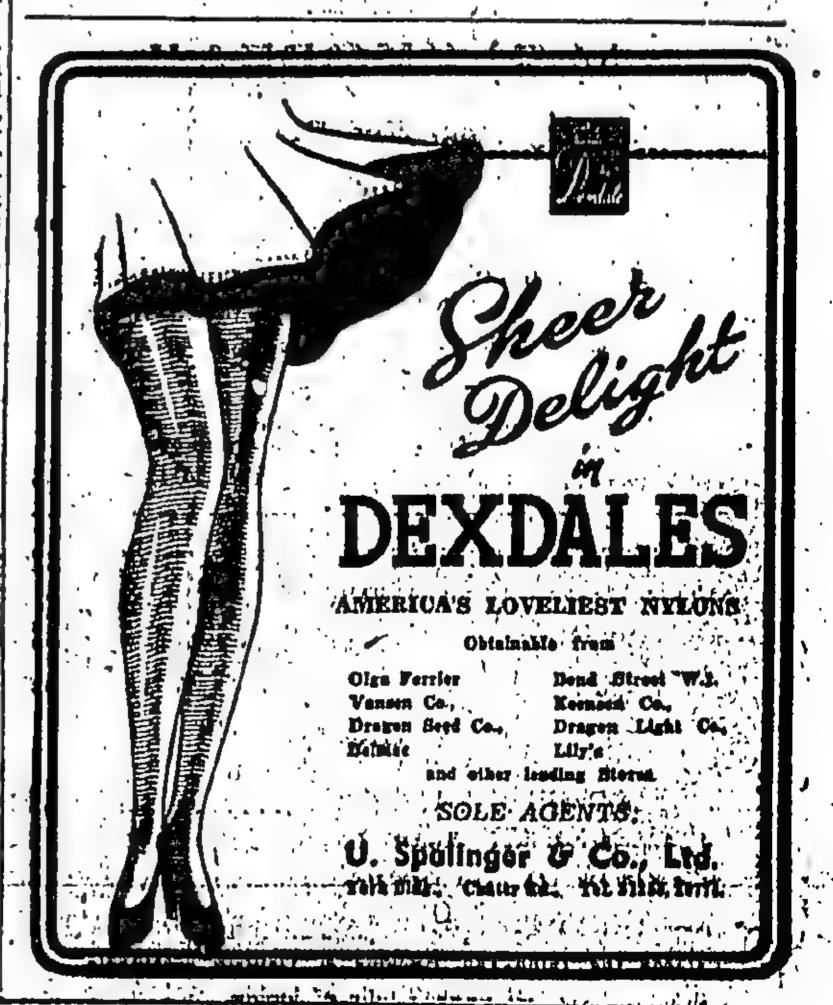
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Another Yeature was provided by the firmness in Austin motors on persistent support. Deather in Austin new shares are expected to start on Monday next, There was a long list of small declines in Government accurities, Long-dated issues teare particularly affected and many

Recent apeculative buyers of Brazillian rails were harriedly getting out of Lesepoblics stocks today, This followed the npany statement that assistance would be necessary to a enable trading to con-

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Sterling Bonds 11

Washington, December 10. The International Monetary Fund sold approximately \$16,-000,000 in United States currency to India, Norway, Costa Rica and Nicaragua during November. The largest sale, totalling \$8,-980,000 was made to India. Norway bought \$6,127,000 while the others bought \$500,000 each. Norway paid in gold—the first tran-saction of its kind in which the Fund has been engaged-selling to \$35 an ounce.—Reuter.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN

Tokyo, December 10. Japan's unemployed will numper 2,600,000 after the Government and private industry carry out their programme of reducing personnel to meet wage increases, according to reliable estimates. The Government shortly plans to dismiss 570,000 employees. At present there are approxi-

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mately 1,370,000 Japanese out of work.-Reuter:

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Tokyo, December 11. The current programme to break up Japan's industrial empire will continue without change despite withdrawal of a controversial, directive ordering it.

This was the natural reaction of SCAP headquarters to the announcement that the United States had abandoned the Far Eastern Commission directive No. 230-an unpopular document which never become effective.

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In that it maks FEC support for General Douglas MacArthur's policy of denying the Russians any possible entering wedge for guining a position in Japan comparable to their influence in

Nuisance Effect

The Soviet proposal for international control over war in- 113, 02; Gold, Sovereign 74, 14. dustries has not been considered (One tola is equal to 36th of an seriously here except in its ruisance effect. In addition to FEC directives on this subject, SCAP control over imported raw materials is sufficient at present Bangkok on New York T.T. 19.60; to prevent any revival of purely London 60.65; Hong Kong 3.88. war Industry.

The whole broad programme of revemping Japan's Indus- 5,825; Union Latine 5,525; Sovertrial structure was initiated by eign 7,425; Hulf Sovereign 3,440; directives which remained un- U.S. \$ 20 Coin 29,500; U.S. \$ 10 changed, said SCAP 'officials. Coin 14,450; Sovereign (in free FEC 230 was merely another US \$ per ounce \$99.2; Napoleon set of instructions for carrying (in free US \$ per ounce) \$100.2; It out. market) Frs. 510.

The directive was unpopular | Paris Free Market Rates: here because it specified in de- Ingots; Fine Gold ingots, with detail how monopolistic business livery of counterpart Arthur and, they interpreted 000b, 855,000s,-Reuter. withdrawal of the document as evidence that the policy would be followed.

Some American business interests attacked FEC 230 on STATES MARINE LINES several points but injest noticeably its blueprint for deconcentration of monopolistic Japanese business combines. The principle of deconcentration - priginally sketched in the Potsdam Declaration-still is being debated here and in the United States.

Companies Reviewed

Nevertheless, the programme for investigating combines which subject to terms and conditions might be considered monopolistic continues with some of Japan's of storage at Kowloon Godowns. higgest companies soon to be Cargo will be ready for delisurveyed. after 10th December.

A total of 345 Japanese concorns formally were designated some months ago for survey and possible reorganisation. Of these only one the Japan Iron and Steel Company—has been ordered to split into two companies. Decisions that in effect remove call to which, the option 273 of these from the deconcen- extends. tration list have been approved! by a special review board of American businessmen. The re- left in the Godown for are examined. maining 72 will come up for re- | examination by the Consignees

In other aspects the breakup of Japan's industrial system includes disqualification of the Zalbatsu, purchase and resale of their, assets, antitrust regulation and similar , innovations which largely have been accomplished on gaper.

Directive 230 which was prepared in Washington over General MarArthur's objections, after the goods have left the was held up then recalled after steamer's Godown, and all attack by some American busi- goods remaining undelivered ness interests. It déscribed in the Fund 175,051.08 fine ounces at detail how monopolistic concerns were to be reorganised and oven specified that preference in re-sale of Zaibatsu stocks should

be given to labour unions. During the furore, SCAP officials went ahead with the programme which had been initiated long before. As is customary. these matters, details of how to implement broad policies were largely decided here.

The principle of breaking up Japanese monopolies was outlined in such early policy state- Hong Kong, Dec. 8, 1948. ments as the initial post-surrender "statement" given 'to: General

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DIPLOMATIC

Paris, December 10. It was learned today , from usually reliable Paris sources that the United States proposal to raise Germany's steel production to 14,000,000 tons a year was causing a serious diplomutic battle between British, French and American representatives in London.

The dismantling recommendations of the Humphrey Committee in London have caused uneasiness in Paris.

According to one report, the Humphrey Committee, proposes to maintain '80 per cent of the bizonni factories originally listed for dismantling. This Committee, it was stated, would give Germany a steelmaking potential of 19,000,000 tons-over 4,000,000 tons more than Germany's steel output in

The American attitude on the Ruhr is causing increasing clarm Bangkok: Gold, Bar, baht-

weight of 15.244 grammes. Un-There is now talk of sending quoted Exchange Rate (Selling) a trio of elder statesmen. M Edouard Herriott, M. Leon Blum and M. Paul Reynaud to Paris Free Gold Prices: Washington to endeavour to con-Napoleon 5,930 Frs.; French 10 vince America that French policy franc coins 2,790; Swiss franc in sound.—Reuter.

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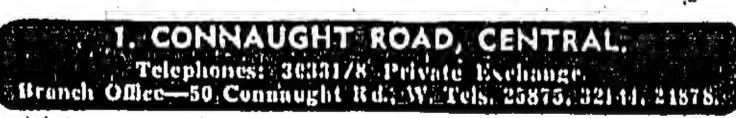
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Departures

TODAY CNAC for Shanghal: 10 a.m., Shanghal via Canton, Swatow, Amoy: 6,40 m.m.; Shanghai via Talpehi S a.m.; Rangoon via Kunming: 11,25 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow: 7 a.m., 12,10 p.m.; Canton: 7.20 a.m., 9.46 a.m., 1.15 M.V. p.m., 3.40 p.m.

ATC for Chungking: 7 a.m.; Shanghai via Canton, Swatow, Amoy: 8 a.m.; Canton: 3,16 p.m. HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 m.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m. AIR FRANCE for Salgon; S a.m.

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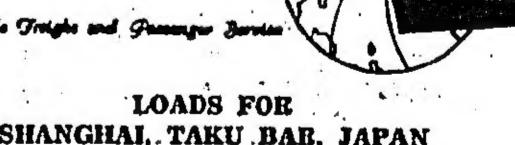
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Brilliant sunshine contributad to the success of the Fete and Fair at Flagstaff House yesterday. The ground was well filled long before Mrs. Madden, wife of Rear Admiral Madden, declared the Fete

Introducing Mrs. Madden, Brigadier De Burgh-Morris Faid that this venture was the first of its kind in the colony. The proceeds will be donated to the General Fund for improvements of facilities for clinica and to occure more food and clothing for the children.

He expressed thanks to the erganisers, especially to Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Lamont and Mrs. Clague, who had played very important parts in making the fair

He also thanked the members of the various services for their mare in turnishing the stalls and pentioned HMS London, HMS Tamor, The Buffs and others.

Thanks was also extended Messrs, Caldbeck, MacGregor and Company, Lane, Crawford and Company, British Clgarette Conpany, A. S. Watson and Company. Dairy Farm, Gilman and Company, civillans and other small firms, for their numerous gifts,

After declaring the Fete opened, Mrs. Madden was presented with a bouquet by a little girl.

Numerous stalls and sideshows in the ground drew large crowds. Among some of the stalls were: Choose your present, Aerophine pin, Steady hand wins prizes, a goal, Jumble sale of clothing and toys, Hoopla, Darts, Wheel of fortune, Roll your own penny, Skittle, Dutch auction, Try your strength and Shooting gallery. F. Tso. There was also in addition to these stalls, pony rides for chil-

The band of the 1st Battalion. of the Buffs provided music.

Local Estates Left By Residents

Local estate, sworn under \$90,000, was left by Mrs. Aileen | bonquets similar to that of the B. Soone. Reid of 10 Coronation Road, bride. Great Crosby, Liverpool 23, who died at 14 Marine Terrace, formed by Mr. Benjamin Cheng, Waterloo, Liverpool 22, on November 12, 1946.

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Mrs. Edith Marione Perowhe of 253 St. James Court, Buck ingham Gate, London, who died on April 1, 1947, left local estate sworn under \$5,100. An application for re-sealing certified copy Probate has been granted to Mr. C. D. Slade,

Letters of Administration to the estate of Mr. Encas Goularte D'Aquino, Retired Bank Clerk, formerly of 3 Salisbury Road, daughter of the late Doctor and Kowloon, have been granted to Mrs. T. P. Woo was married to his widow, Mrs. E. G. D'Aquino. Doctor Fung Kam-tat, son of Mr. D'Aquino, who died at the the late Mr. Fung Chin-yew, at St. Ruphael Hospital, Macao, on All Saints' Church, Homuntin April 8, 1943, left local estate Kowloon, yesterday afternoon. sworn under \$10,700.

Local estate, sworn under cinted. \$28,900, was left by Mr. Andrew Gassner of 23 The Gateways, on the arm of her brother Mr Chelsea, London, who died at 9 John 'S. Woo, and wore; Clifton Road, Bournemouth, on "Camille" creation of white July 1, 1948. An application for infleta with insets of lace. The re-scaling certified copy Probate full length hand embroidered has been granted to Mr. C. D. veil was held by a tiara of



The marriage of Mr. Alexander Chen Chong-chow to Miss Esther Chau. Miu-yee at St. Paul's Church yesterday, joined together two prominent families in the Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. Chen Yo-chien, and maid of honour, and her sister Have your voice recorded, Shoot the bride the daughter of the Miss - Monica Bertha Lam, well known Dr. Chau Wai- the bridesmaid, both were pink cheung and Mrs. Chau.

Entering the church on the arip of her father, the bride was man, Satin with silver lace, white the wedding at the Peninsula

gloves and shoes to match, She Hotel, when Mr. F. C. Mowfung, were a short veil and carried a a very old friend of the family, bouquet of white tuberroses and proposed a toast to the happy

Miss Rosia Chen (Groom's sis- Canton. ter) and wore dresses of pink and blue, respectively. . Flower girls were Miss Pin-

pin Chen and Miss Kim Lim and pink, respectively. Both carried Ng became the bride of Mr. K. Street.

The duty of best man was perwhile the page boys were Mnsters Richard Quon and Reezy To, Immediately after the service reception was held at the

Gripps, Hong Kong Hotel, In the evening a large Chineta panouet was held at the Kam Ling Restaurant, The honeymoon will be spent

n Langkok and Saigon. The couple were both undergraduates of the Hong Kong University before the hostilities and both continued their studies in Free China after the occupation of the Colony by the Japanese.

Archdeacon Lee Kau-yan off

The bride entered the church orange blossoms.

The bridegroom is the son of 1 Miss Marian Esther Lam. taffeta dresses with full gather-The marriage service was con- ed skirts of net with pink taffeta ducted by Rev. Canon Paul S. dresses with full gathered skirts of net with pink taffeta bows. Doctor S. K. Lam was the best

patired in a gown of pure white The reception took place after

The bridesmaids were Miss The newlyweds will spend Dorens Chau (bride's sister) and their honeymoon in Macao and

At the St. John's Cathedral

Attired in a white satin dress. with veil and gloves to match W.O's & Bate 25th RA 5 3, 2 0 20 10 8 and carrying a bouquet of white P.O's Mess Tamar 6 4 0 1 17 18 8 gladioli, the bride was given away by her father. The Rev. George She, MA per- Senior Mess RNH .. 5 2 2 1 19 11 4

formed the service, after which a reception was held in the Cathedral Hall.

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39266). -

The M.C.C. batted all day in their match. With Transvapl here and when stumps were drawn had run up the blg score of 442 for the loss of six

The day's play was featured by a magnificent innings of 174 by Len Hutton and two big stands. Hutton was in his best form and not until he was tiring to give the eatch which dis-missed him did he make a real

Altogether he hit 26 fours and one sixer during a hurricane display of hitting. Hulton and R.T. Simpson put on 206 for the second wicket, and Denis Compton and Alan Wat-kins had a stand of 149 for the

fourth wicket. Compton seemed to heading 'for another century, but he mistimed a ball from Mitchell, 'whose 'swingers, mixed with an occasional leg break, worried - most batsmen, and was clean bowled for 84. This was Hutton's third century of the tour and he was . in his best form, treating most bowlers with little respect and hitting with delightful freedom. He has now an average of 98.42 for eight innings in firstclass matches during the tour, having been once not out,

Watkin's form was excellent, considering the little cricket he has had since the tour began. T. G. Evans, the wicket-keeper, and Alec Bedser, the England and Surrey medium paced bowler, were together when stumps were drawn, the former with 30 and Bedser 19.-Reuter.

Results Of Darts League Tilts

Results of matches played on Friday. December 5:--RAF Rai Tak 4, Schlot Mess RNH 2; W.O's & Scrats, Shamshulpu 2, W.O's & Sergts, 25th RA 41 P.O's Mess Tamer 4, A.C. Mess Austin : Road It: C.P.O's Mean Tamer 4, W.O's & Sergia. FR Lyund, RAP 2; Hong Kong Chinese Training U. I. With & Sergia, RASC ht Dockyard Chargeman's Mess 5, A.C. Mess Houndary Street 1; Garrison Bergts, & W.O's 1, A.C. Mers Hankow. Road 5. Highest score of the week was scored they were dressed in blue and yesterday afternoon Miss Lena by Mr. Lang 148, A.C. Mess, Boundary

PWDLFAPIL Dockyard Charg. Mess 5' 3 1 1 19 11 7 C.P.O's Mess Tamar 5 3 1 1 18 12 7 Shamehulpo 5 3 0 2 16 14 G W.O's & Sgts, RASC 5, 5 0 2 15 15 6 W.O's & Bets. RAF Kai Tak 5 2 0 3 15 15 4 A.C. Mess Hankow Rd. 5 1 1 8 16 14 3

W.O's & Sgts. 88 Squad.

RAF

B 1 1 8 11 10 3

A.C. Mess Houndary St. 5 1 0 4 9 21 2

H.K. Chinese T.U. 5 0 7 4 11 19 1 Garrison Bgts. & W.O's 5 0 1 4 8 22

REFEREES' LINE-UP

The following have been chosen to represent the Referees in a friendly soccer match against the Combined Press at Boundary Street today kick-off 2/15 p.m. Mak Yeung-fai, Leung Yuk-tong, Crawford, J. Ward; Davov W. Gaffney, N. Delgo, C. Tunstall, Willis, Put George and Cheng Moon-wing.

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Lose To HKU The Hong Kong Cricket Club again registered the "double" in their First Division cricket matches yesterday, both the "Optimists" and the "Scorpions" winning comfortably against Kowloon Cricket Club and Craigengower respectively.

RAF and Army shared honours in their match at Sookunpoo, although at the close of play, the Airmen were definitely on top.

At King's Park, Royal Navy? Against the deadly bowling o went down badly to Club 'de Pearce, who took six wickets for Recreio, who won by five wickets after dismissing the sailors for only 27 runs. University, who were guests of the Indian Recreation Club at of their Seniors by inflicting the

they bent by 10 wickets. Optimists—KCC

Club de Récreio Juniors, whom

Enterfaining KCC at Chater R. Tay, b Clague Road, HKCC "Optimists" beat G.A. Souza, c and b Pearce. their guests by three wickets. KCC went in to but first and R.O. Baker, e sub. b Pearce were dismissed for 111 runs, A.H. Ismail, b Pearce Apart from Fincher, who scored S. Hollands, b Pearce 45, the only other KCC batsmen S. Lronard, b Gee to reach double figures were J.L. Youngsaye, lbw b Gee. Zimmern (19) and Lee (15). Mahon was the most successful

of the bowlers for "Optimists" taking three wickets for 21 runs, The "Optimists" lost seven wickets before passing the KCC total. M.M. Little, opening but, J.D. Clague 3 0 9 was in fine form and had 56 runs F. Howard not out to his credit at the close | Gee 6 3 of play. N.R. Oliver was next T. Pearce 3.3 0 top-scorer with 26.

E.C. Fincher, c Kilbee, b Howard N. Hart Baker, e Mahon, b Shatth A. Zimmern, c and b Franklin 19 W.D.M. Webb, b McLellan ... F.R. Zimmern, b McLellan

G.E. Taylor, e Franklin, b McLellan R.E. Lee, c Kilbee, b Mahon 15 M.J. Divecha, e Little, b Mahon b J.D. Clague, c Youngsaye, b J. Barrow, e Howard, b Mahon J.H. Hewiti, not out

Extras DOWLING ANALYSIS O. M. R. W. Snorth 11 0 41 Franklin 2 McLellan 5

2 "OPTIMISTS" M.M. Little, not out 50 R.W. Franklin, e Smith, b Dívecha N.R. Oliver, c F. Zimmern, b G.T. Rowe, b Lee

L.D. Kilbee, c Hewitt, b Lee W.L. Howard, st Webb, b T.P. Mahon, c and b Lee ... K.A. Miller, b. F. Zimmern . . D. McLellan, not out

Total for 7 wickets 115 utes of each other. W.J. Slagter and A.L. Snaith did not but. BOWLING ANALYSIS

R. Zimmern ... M.J. Divecha 11

CCC—Scorpions Playing at home, Cruigengower

HKCC "Scorpions" und

beaten by nine wickets.

N. Hart Baker ... 2 0

cums, to which their Captain, G.A. Souza, contributed 29. "Scorplons" lost one wicket before passing the Valley team's Sookunpoo, surprised their hosts total and went on to score 191 for by taking full points as the result of a narrow victory by four runs.

In the Second Division, Royal performance for the "Scorpions". Navy Juniors avenged the defeat performance for the "Scorpions", of their Seniors by inflicting the knocking up 41 before being

eight runs in 3.3 overs, the Valley

tenm were only able to secure 52

heaviest defeat of the season on caught by Hollands off Hong G. Hong Choy, b Clague ... P.J. Billimoria, b Pearce ...

S. Ramchand, c and b Pearce

T. Crabtree, not out Extras

Total BOWLING ANALYSIS "SCORPIONS" L.F. Stokes, retired

O.J. Kerr, b Crabtree 45 T.H. Leach, c Hollands, b Hong Choy F. Howarth, e Souza, b Hong Chog A. Graham, c Crabtree, b

Hong Choy C.J. Smith, b Smith 1 9 K. Jottwell, c Leonard, b Hong Choy 0 R.H. Hughes, c Souza, b Billimoria

Billimoria C.F. Gee, st Ismail, b Billimoria H. Owen-Hughes, not out ... Total D1 T.A. Penrce, not out Extras

BOWLING ANALYSIS O. M. R. W .14 . 3 P.J. Billimorta . . 11 2 59 0 T. Crabtree 13 3 49 0 S. Ramehand 5 0 28 G. Hong Choy ... 8 0 38'

Navy—Recreio

The Royal Navy XI found the A. R. Kitchell . 4 . 1 17 3 Club de Recreio much too atrong Divecha 26 for them at King's Park and came out losers by five wickets. G.N. Gosano was in fine mettle. He took three wickets for the loss of 13 runs, and scored 53 not out A.P. Pereira, Gosano's partner in bowling, scored a "hat trick" by laking White's, Evans's and Fluck's wickets within four min-

Evans, going in after Thornley had been run out, lasted three minutes before the wicket, while W. Fluck, following Evans, was disi missed for a duck a minute later.

Scores were: ROYAL NAVY White, b Pereira Workman, at Beltrao, b G.N. Gosano put up a very poor display against Parish, e Prata, b Pereira ... Hart, Ibw G.N. Gosono

Thornley, run out

Evans, b Percira 0
Fluck, c G.N. Gosono, b Percira 0
Steadman, c E.L. Goshio, b Recidio-Navy

G.N. Gosnito. Hann, lbw Perelra Anthill, c Prate, b Pereira ... Extras

BOWLING ANALYSIS

A.P. Peveira 8.4 3 14 G.N. Gosano 8 .. 3 13 (* Hat trick.) A.M. Rodrigues, e Anthill, b Hart

N.A. Beltrao, c Hann, b Hart A.P. Pereira, e Evans, b White B.T. Gosano, Ibw Hart L. Vielra, b Hart D. Rodrigues, b Hart G.N. Gosnno, not out L.G. Gosnno, b White

P.M.N. da Silva, b Hann

Total for 8 wickets A.M. Prnta did not bat, BOWLING ANALYSIS Hart 9 2 Hann 5

Browne 1

E.L. Gosano, not out

IRC—University

In a low scoring game at Sookunpoo, University beat Indian Recreation Club by four runs. Batting first, the Untergraduates were only able to collect 72 runs, to which J. 6 Gosano contributed a valuable 31. Arculli Iwas in deadly form with the bull, capturing six wic-

kets for 26 runs. Set only 73 runs to win, the Indians failed miserably, the whole side being skittled out for 68 runs. The only batamen to stand up to the bowling of the. C. Hughes, retired Undergraduates were Nazarin F Harrison, retired

T. H. Lean took seven wickets D. Messan, retired for 32 runs, while J. C. Koh dismissed the other three batamen for only 17 runs,

UNIVERSITY 16 S. M. Teh, b Ismail T. Lo, b Arculli 12 J. M. Gosano, c. Nazarin, b' Arculli L. T. Ride, e Nazarin, b D. Chelliah, e Kitchell, b D. G. Honson, c Baker, b Kitchell S. A. Vonar, not out C. L. Huang, c Samy, b Kit-

T. H. Lean, c Abbas, b Kit-Total for 9 wickets 19; J. C. Koh, b Arculli H. Amann, b Arculli

BOWLING ANALYSIS Arculli ... 11.2 4 A. K. Ismail , 7 1

S. A. Ismail, c Lo, b Lean ... A. H. Madar, e Chelliah, b Lean A. R. Kitchell, Ibw Chellish,

b Lean K. Nazarin, c Amann, b Koh 17 A. R. Abbas, c Ride, b Koh . A. R. Sufflod, b Lenn A. K. Ismail, b Lean 13 A. H. Baker, c Honson, b

S. H. Khan, c & b Koh A. el Arculli. Jr., not out .. M. Sterry, b Lean Extras

Total 68 BOWLING ANALYSIS r. H. Lenn ... 14.3 I S. M. Tch 6 7 J. C. Koh



SECOND DIVISION

The Club de Recrelo Second XI received the worst thrashing of the season when they went down to the Royal Navy by 10 wickets at King's Park.

Batting first, the Portugese players found the deadly bowling of E. Noise and J. Windmill much too good for them. None of the batamen lasted long before the wickets, with the exception of E. A. R. Alves and J. A. Soares both of whom reached double figures. The Recreio boys were all dis-missed in under 15 overs, five of

which were maidens, and after only having chalked up a total of 53 runs on the board. Oponing the innings for the Royal Navy. C. Hughes and F. Eurrison retired with the score at 54, thus giving their team a clear 10 wickets victory.

Scores were: RECREIO D. E. Remetlios, c. & b. E. L. J. Remedios, c. & b. E. Noise' W. A. Osmund, b. E. Noise 5 J. L. S. Alves, c. Parr-Wright. b. E. Noise

.L. E. Guterres, lbw., E. Noise E. A. R. Alves, c. Hughes, b. E. Noise J. A. Soares, c. Windmill, b. E. Noise C. A. Guterres, c. Meffan, b.

J. Windmill A. A. Guterres, not out Yvanevitch, b. J. Windmill V. Lopes, b. J. Windmill Extras

BOWLING ANALYSIS O. M. R. W. Noise 7 3 15 J. Windmill 7.3 2 29 ROYAL NAVY

. (17), Kitchell (16) and Ismail J. Windmill, c. & b. A. Guterres R Gath, refired W. Parr-Wright, c. & b. J

Soares E. Noise, c. & h. L. Remedios -A. Maylor, retired hurt Bentlead, run out, b. L. Remedios L. Ferguson, not out R. Price, not out

Extra Total (for 9 wickets) BOWLING ANALYSIS C. A. Guterres .. 6 0 25

RAF-Army The mutch at Sookunpoo between RAF and Army resulted in

RAF had first lease of the wicket and declared after scor-ing 131 for six. M. D. Marshall top-scored with 77, the next best effort being 36 by D. M. Gall. Firench-Blake took two wic-kets for 77 runs.

Against the devastating bowling of Graham (4 for 15) and Gambrill (2 for 33), Army had lost even wickets for 05 runs at the close of play,

D. M. Gall, at Dawe, b Stepto 36 M. D. Marshall, st Dawe, b R. K. Hinshniwood, c Banton Morris, b Banton

D. Bmiton, Ibw Ffrench-Blake M..... S. Beirne, not out R. C. Howard, c Stepto, b Ffrench-Blake

Total for 6 wkis declared 131 D. Graham, E. W. Hayhurst, E. H. Gambrill and A. Hodgson did 0 not but.

BOWLING ANALYSIS Stepto 12 Banton Murray Brown 2 Ffrench-Bluke , 3 . ARMY

A. R. Dawe, e and b Graham C. M. Bucknall, b Graham D. Burton, e Graham, b Gum-M. Ffrench-Blake, c Hayhurst, b Hinshalwood . . . R. Murray Brown, b Graham

R. Twelvetrees, c Hlushalwood, b Graham Eanton, not out A. Stepto, b Graham A, H, Bell, not out Extras

Total for 7 wkts 45 D. J. Wall did not bat. BOWLING ANALYSIS O M R W Gambrill 11 33 Gralium Hodgson Hinshalwood .. 2

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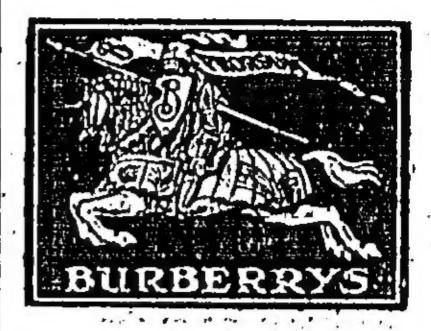
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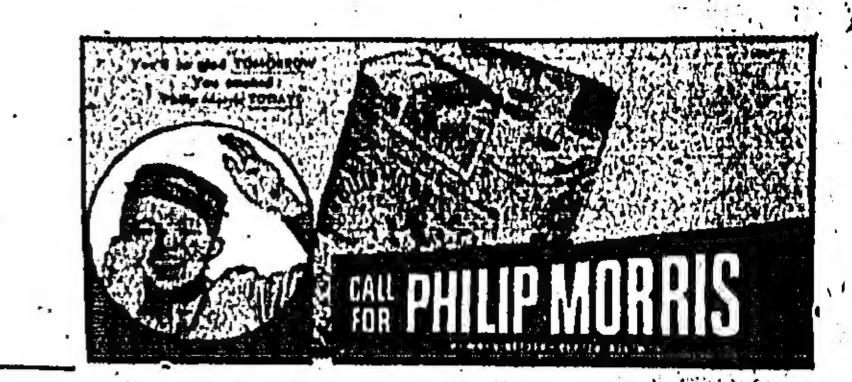
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ARMY XI DISAPPOINTS AGAINST KIT

The Army Soccer XI disappointed their supporters badly yesterday when, in the only upset in the First Division, they went down to Kit Chee by two goals to one at Causeway Bay.

South China "A" scored a narrow victory over Chinese A.A. at Boundary Street, winning by two goals to one, after being led at the inter-

The game between South China "B" and St. Joseph's at Caroline Hill ended in a draw, the teams sharing two goals.

Kowloon Motor Bus easily accounted for RAF at Sookunpool scoring six times without reply.

In the Junior Division, Police caused the biggest surprise of the afternoon by defeating the leads ent. Chinese AA, by two goals to one in a fast and exciting game at Boundary Street,

Chinese AA 1-S. China 'A' 2

South China were the first to become dangerous, but Lai Shiuwith spoilt a good chance of giving his side the lead in the first namute by shooting weakly from close range.

The Amateurs took the ball up and Yu Ylu-tak was forced to concede a corner which the Amatenrs falled to turn to advantage. A melec in front of the South China goulmouth resulted in Ho Yau-kl-notting-but-he-was-rujed off-side and the good disallowed.

· 'Maintaining pressure, the Amateurs took the lead when a brilliant passing movement between the forwards culminated in Kwok Cheuk-cheong netting with a crashing drive to the top of the

Heartened by this success, the Amateurs swarmed over the South China defence, which was Yiu-tak was playing a grand game between the sticks for South China and were it not for his display, the Amateurs would most assurely have gone further

ahead. South Chine obtained their equaliser through Chang Kainhal, who netted with a brilliant header following a scrimmage in

the Amateur's goalmouth. expectedly when their right half, the Chinese attacked and the half after gaining possession of the time whistle must have brought ball about 30 yards out, suddenly relief to a hard pressed Army desent in a fast shot with Yu Kaiyan unsighted. Before Yu Kniyan knew what was happening. the ball was in the net.

This goal served to knock the spirit out of the Amateurs who were, for practically the remainover of the game led a merry dance by South China.

Lat Blut-ping and Cheung Moon-wing.

H. China "A": Yu Ylu-tak, Hau Yungsang, Tee Kamehang, Cheung Bhuellag, Club Soone Line-sing, Lan Chung-same, Chu Wingskeung, Fung Kingscheung, Chang Kam-hoi, Lui Shul-ping and He Yln-fun.

Kit Choe 2-Army The standard of play in this match did not reach the high spots and if the Army front line could have got moving, then the result may well have been revers-

Under pressure, the Army defence seemed to will and many a time Nassau was forced to pass back to his goal keeper, Cordell. Ramskill could not get moving and in the second half switched places with Goldrick Within six minutes, the Chip

ese went ahead when, in a goal. mouth scramble, Mok Kam-chung managed to put the ball past Cor-With one in the bag, Kit Chee

went out for more and attacked A fine movement developed on kuen, Tang Kwok-sum, Wu Chuntheir left flank and Wong crossed chung, Kwok Ying-kee, Cheung

a ball that Nassau did well to Chang-kan and Wong King-chang. clear off the goal-line when Cordell appeared beaten. Then Army took up the attack son, Brown, Knox, Byrnes, Ramand after a good run on the right, skill and Goldrick. Brown crossed over a high ball wide, it was clear that the Sol-

which the inside man headed just diers were going all out for the equaliser and they came down into the Chinese half in force. They forced a corner on the left and as the ball came loose, Fok Ylu-wah, the Kit Chee right back headed clear as it was about to pass into the net.

Army Pressed

The next move came from the Chinese and following a good run; Wong King-chung came in from the wing and let loose a drive that forced Cordell to dive full length and turn it round the post South China took the lead up- for a corner. Time and time again

> The Army made a forward line change in the second half when Rumskill went to outside left and Coldrick came luside. Later in the game, Brown and Byrnes made another change.

Ten minutes after the restart, the Kit Chee line was set in mo-Chinese AA: Yau Kni-yan, Les Ping- tion by an accurate pass to Tang nom, Ho Sing, Chan Kam-pul, Mow Kwong-sum. The winger sped Cheung-wing, Leung Ping-sun, Kwak away, outpaced the Army defence Chenk-chaons, Ho Yan-ki, Lo Web-sing, and centred to three of his forwards. Of these Kwok Ying-kee

Home Football Results

London, December 11. The following were the results of football matches

played today: FA Cup-Second Round

Bradford C. 6 N. Brighton . 0 Bury (not possible for extra time to be Coventry played owing to bad light) 3 Millwall Chinese A.A. 1 S. China "A" 3 Swansea Darlington 1 Orient 2 Hereford K. Motor Bus 6 Scarborough 0 Reading K. Motor Bus 4 (Extra time played) Chinese A.A.

3 Newport Leyton (Extra time played) 2 Northampton (Extra time played)

3 Barrow 0 Stockport Scunthorpe 2 York Southport 'Extra time played)

3 Norwich 4 Gainsborough 3 Walthamstow 2 Oldham (Extra time played)

shot. As the ball came loose Weymouth

First Division

| Birmingham | 0 | Sunderland |
|------------|-------|---------------|
| Burnley | 2 | Blackpool |
| Chelsea | 4 | Wolves · |
| Everton ' | 1 | Bolton, |
| Manchester | C. 3- | -Huttdersfld |
| Middlesbro | | · Villa |
| Newcastle | 3 | Sheffield U. |
| Portsmouth | . 2 | Manchester U. |
| Preston | 3 | Liverpool |
| Stoke | - 4 | Derby |
| Charlton | . 4 | Argenal |

Blackburn

Chesterf'ld Barnsley Notts F. - Luton Queen's P. R. Leicester Cardiff Southampton Bradford Plymouth West Brom Grimsby West Hum Fulham

Third Division (North) 1 Hartlepools Accrington

Queen O'south 2 Aberdeen Albion Rov. Clyde Falkirk Hibernian Hearts -East Fife Motherwell Dundee Morton Rungers Celtic St. Mirren

Arbroath Ayr United I Cowdenbeath Dumbarton Dundee United 5

Partick Th.

Third Lansrk 1

|Rulth Rovers 3 Kilmarnock 2

| .1 | - Friendly Matches | | | | |
|----|----------------------|-----|-------------|---|--|
| 0 | Brighton | 2 | Bristol R. | | |
| - | Carlinio Un | -3 | Shrewsbury | _ | |
| • | Improcier | 0 | Palace | | |
| 2 | Ipswich Rochdale | 2 | Watford | | |
| 2 | Rochdale . | . 0 | Port Vale | - | |
| - | Ratherbam | -5 | Bournemouth | ı | |
| 2 | Wraxham | 1 | Swindon | | |
| 3 | Wroxham - Reuter. | - | | | |

Hong Kong's Bowlers Aitkenhead Shield The Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association season

B. W. Brudbury C. S. Hosselet

K. Kinninburgh

H. Rumjahn

W. C. Simpsorf

A. A. Lopes

J. F. V. Ribeiro

R. J. Wigginton

J. A. Remedios

G. A. Guterres

Thompson

A. J. Hall

C. Pereira

A. Steven

G. E. F.

T. Tindall

H. R. Pinna

(Skip)

C. F. Remedios

H. M. Ribeiro

H. A. Lammert

E. A. Atkins

L. F. Xnvier

F. X. Soares

R. S. Capell

(Skip)

Prize Winners

Second Division League Win-

Colony Open Pairs Champion-

Colony Open Rinks Champion-

International Winners: Pakis-

A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar

(skip), runners-up, Philippines (L.

S, da Silva, D. Rozario, W.

Cgley and A. E. Coates (skip).

G. A. Noronha

was officially closed yesterday when the final classic event between Hong Kong and Kowloon for the Aitkenhead Shield was won by the former, after an exciting game, by three shots, the final result being 234-231.

At the conclusion of the game, prizes won during the season were distributed by Mrs. McKelvie, wife of the Vice-President of the Association.

Hong Kong won on six out K. M. Rumjahn J. Remedios 2 of the 12 rinks with one finish | S. M. Rumjahn W. McMaster ed all even. U. A. Rumjahn The bigest victory was, howfour over Jillot rink's by 17 shots. I. C. R. Souza

Pollock and Xavier had an excit-Scottish League Div. "A" ing game, both sides scoring 19 Frank Goodwin beat U. M. Omar, but during the course of the game conceded a seven to the 0 latter. A. M. Omar bent veteran 2 McKelvie by five shots. Omar

scored two fives during the game. Successful Season Before calling upon Mrs. Me- H. F. Shields Scottish League Div. "B" Kelvie to distribute the prizes. Mr. R. P. Phillips said that the season just finished had been Dunfermline 6 very successful. As many of the D. M. A. Razack W. C. Oglev Hamilton Ac. 1 visitors and many of the players A. Seemin were not quite "au fait" with the A. R. A. Rahman D. A. Rozario commencement of the "Altken- A. M. Rumjahn head Shield" competition Mr.

Phillips gave a brief outline as W. Brace to its origin. Bob Altkenhead, whom most of J. Grant the oldsters considered to be the A. Jillot finest bowler ever to come from Shanghai, came down from the R. Phillips North to play in the Interport | G. S. Sewell R. A. Edwards against the Colony in the year 1927. Shanghai won this match

by the score of 31-17. After the match Altkenhead the Francis Lee clared that in his obinion, Rowa loon possessed better bowlers than the Colony. This created a serious argument, but . Aitkenhead reiterated his statement, saying that he would be willing to put up a shield if the HKLBA would allow him to do so and if they would arrange an annual match between the best players of the Island against the Mairland.

The terms of the match were finally arranged and the first of the long series of matches was have been played out of which First Division League Cham-Kowloon has won 10 times and pions. Club de Recreio. Hong Kong five.

Continuing, Mr. Phillips said it Winner, J. A. da Luz, runner-up, an "Aitkenhead Shield," He sin-K. M. Omar. curely hoped that the Association ship: .. Winners, W. Hong Sling and A. M. Omar, runners-up. C Roza-Pereira and F. V. V. Ribeiro. ship: Winners, I. M. Omar, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip).

runners-up, E. Pope, A. Atkins, Thanks were also expressed to G. E. F. Thompson and L Sykes Mrs. McKelvie for collecting funds for St. Dunstan. A sum of tan (M. I. Razack, K. M. Omar,

. The Results

KOWLOUN , J. A. da Luż J. Fraser S. Yusul T. A. Madar J. E. Noronlia I. M. Omar E.L.G. Eastman J. Orem. F. Goodwin (Skip)

SOCCER

J. McKelvie.

Governor's Cup-ist Match HKFA v CNAAF, (Boundary Street, 3.30 p.m.)

CRICKET. Dodwell & Co., Ltd., v. Butterfield & Swire (Chater Road, 11 RAF v ARMY—Second Division.

(Spokunpoo). sounding with them still on the on to the attack and after Army handled; by Dr. Charles, who HK Police v RAF (King's Park). Civil Service v Cable & Wirpless (King's Park)

Dutch HC v Army (Sookunpoo).

Park).

Club de Recreio v YMCA (King's All the above games are timed TABLE TENNIS

Chee Association v Singapore Touring Team (Chinese YMCA Bridge's Street 7.80 pm.) ***************

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Ezzard Charles Beats Baksi

New York, December 11. Exzard Charles clinched a June shot at Joe Louis' world heavyweight title, by scoring a technical knockout ever big Joe Baksi in the third minute of the 11th round at Madison Square Garden yesterday. The referee stopped the

bout because Bakal was bleeding profusely waterom gashes above and beneath his left eye. He was falso bleading from his mouth, nose and a small gash in the right brow.

It was an excellentificht and the growd gave... both battlers an ovation when they left the ring. Louis said later in Ohicago that he believed Charles was the best heavyweight in line to challenge for his title. He said Charles has proved - he is the best heavyweight in the field, "but I think Billy Conn should fight him."-United Press.

ennis Encounters

Results of yesterday's tennis games at the Ladies' Recrea-16 | tion Club:

Club Men's Doubles Final

Mr. R. Segalen and Mr. J.

Mackie beat Mr. M. Heenan and Mr G.E. Strickland, 6-2, 6-3. .Handicap Ladice' Singles

Mrs. Bradley beat Mrs. Camp-The following were the prize bell, 3-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Club Mixed Doubles Final Mr. J.B. Hawthorn and Mrs. Standaloft beat Mr. K. Standaloft

and Mrs. Litton, 7-5, 6-2, Today's Programme

Bemi-finals of Men's Handicap Doubles (9 a.m.)

Mr. C.W.L. Way and Mr. F. Alexander Mr. v J.B. Hawtnorn and Mr. J. Mackie.

Semi-final of Inter-Hong Men's Doubles (2.30 p.m.)

Mr. A.T. Dow and Mrs. W.A. Reed (Gibb Livingston) v Mr. C.W.L. Way and Mr. L.F. Stokes (Manufacturers life).

histilas Something Dockyard RC v Khalsa (King's

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Tang Sum, Kong Hing-yuk, and Tam Woon-chung: Lee Tai-fai, Lee Choon-fat, Tang Yee-kit, Chow Man-chi and Lee Sck-yau. RAF :- Bartrum; Durham and

Club Beat Army XV first half, but it was not until a minute before half time that they Exciting Rugby Match were able to take the lead. Leonard, as leader of the Saint's In the most exciting rugby game of the season, Club beat Army by 9 points to 3 at Happy

attack, worked hard throughout but received little support from his team mates. Xavier and Omar showed up well and their speedy runs down the wing had the Chinose defence very much worried Percira, who played in the centre half berth, also gave a sound display and kept a close watch on

RESULTS

AT A GLANCE

8. China "B" | St. Joseph's

Army Kin.

Dockyard

attempt.

South China

from close range.

SECOND DIVISION

* This game was not played,

gained possession and registered

the second goal with a rising shot

in a goalmouth scramble, a

Kit-chee defender handled the

ball and a penalty was awarded.

Brown took the kick and drove

hard at Chu who partly held the

Brown gained possession and

made no mistake with his second

Kit Chee:--Chu Shiu-hang, Fok

Yiu-wah, Mok Kam-chung, Lee-

Ping-chiu, Yau Wah-hing, Lo Wai-

Army:-Cordell, Hughes, Nas-

sau, Weatherall, Craighead, Mon-

S. China 'B' 1—

St. Joseph's 1

South China enjoyed more of

the hall than the Saints In the

3 Kit Chee

Navy

St. Joseph's

Tramways

v University

South China assumed the offenive from the start, but the Saints' defence was, as usual. playing a fine spoiling game and the Chinese were unable to get the ball into the net.

he was ruled off-side by the lines-The Chinese were by no

means upset and continued to one forward in particular-they exert pressure, their forwards were all superb-but mention indulging in a number of well injust be made of Alex Taylor and Army putting out every effort to HK\$141.35 was collected. executed movements. Just be- Farquaharson in their line-outs; fore half time, their efforts time and again these two got the were showing much more fire in were rewarded when, following ball and passed it back to Locha scramble in front of the lan, who unmediately got his Saint's goalmouth, Chan Tak. backs moving. fal managed get to the ball and put it past Brown to give his perfect wing forward game. side the lead.

immediately settled down to play given few chances to move. better football than they did in the first half,

After 10 minutes' play, the John Henderson, whose deneral Saints, who had taken the initin- football sense saved Club time tive, obtained the equaliser and time again; his defensive through Xavier, who sent in a kicking and cut through in attack fast cross shot which entered the being well-nigh perfect, further side of the net with Choy well and truly beaten.

strived hard to gain the winning | throughout; whenever their backs | goal. The ball was rapidly transferred from end to end, but the defences predominated and the final whistle come with the sides sharing two goals—a fair result to a cleanly contested game. 8. China "B": Choy Kin-chung, Yuen Pul-man, Trang Chung-wan, Lee Shekching, Shin You-song, Leung Sheung-tak, Lai Chung-yin, Au Chi-yin, Chan Takfal, Tong Sheung and Ko Po-keung,

sing, Toledo, Pereira, A. Santos, Xaviet. Gomes, D. Leonard, Castilho and Omar, RAF O-KMB 6

St. Jeseph's; Brown, Roths, Hul Keng-

Kowloon Motor Bus were on the attack almost continuously throughout the game and gave he RAF defenders a gruelling af-

Credit for keeping the score down goes to Bartrum the Airmen's custodian; had it not been when play swung over 'to' point blank attacks with his feet. On the whole, the Airmen's detence put up a surprisingly good show, with Soutar at centre-half, who was responsible for breaking up many well planned raids with is first time robust tackling, outstanding. Ho was ably supported by both Durham and Gray, Lam-fook and Tum Chun-fol;

Valley yesterday, one of the most outstanding played in 1928. Fifteen games features of the game being the brilliant performance of the Club forwards. The most prominent player on the field was John was a matter of great regret to Colony Singles Champlonship: Henderson, whose display was the best seen day that there was no longer for a long time. Club forwards were even better on to the line and after an un- would one day be able to pur-

of the Army pack. It is difficult to pick out any

In the loose, Warne played the lack of Army attacking : moves Taking the field one goal in can be traced back to his hard rrears on resumption, the Saints | tackling of Roberts, who was Perhaps the most outstanding figure on the field, however, was

Army were little behind Club, but the loss of the ball in the With the score equal, both sides tight militated against them did get the ball, they proved half, but their defence was condangerous, especially on wings. Only hard tackling pre-

> two occasions. Wilson had .little chance show his usual form, being closely marked from the opening whiatle: From the spectator's point view, it was the most exciting and Club, nursing the Stand players, the most exacting.

vented them from going over on

Beautiful Goal

From the kick joff, Club went beautiful goal to put Club 3 points with one of the players.

Club continued to attack and for his splendid efforts, they right, Robinson dribbled up to would have suffered a more dis- the Army line, but lost tile, ball astrous defeat, Time and again, when it bounced lawkwardly, the Supreme Court yesterday by which was unconverted.

kick. Robinson: for Club then mone, on the ground of adultery. took play right up into the Army half with a grand run, immothrough by Franklin, who was KMB; Tam Kwan-Kon; Mak playing an excellent rame, which Anny fust managed, to stop on Plays continued in midfield until half time; the score then being Club: 0 Army 20 11 4.

than anticipated, their packing accountable fumble. Wilson was chase, from their funds, a dupli--Au-Chi-yin-netted-with-n-bril- being-well-nigh-perfect, -which pushed-off-the-ball-and-Lochian cate-shield-to cover-it-naming-itliant header for S. China when gave their backs the ball from all had little to do but touch down "The Altkenhead Shield," thus the game was 25 minutes old, but but six of the set scrums. In to put Club 9 points ahead. The reminding all bowlers in this Colthe loose, they were also on top kick failed Henderson shortly cay of that fine old sportsman afterwards missed a drup goal. - Army Pressure

The game now took a turn with break through; their forwards the loose and their backs were proving dangerous whenever they

However, Roberts was not usual and chances did go astray. Tucker missed with another dif- B. A. Mansell ficult penalty kick, but Army K. M. Cmar continued to attack and Swaine U. M. Omar was brought down by Cessford when going for the line. The ball then went across the

field-and Brown, after a perfect W. Hong Sling passing movement by Army A M. Omar backs, outran all opposition touch down at the corner. This was a beautiful try and although unconveried, raised the excitement of the onlookers to fever Play continued in the Club

the fident and held off every attack, although it was clear that Army wings were the faster. · Brown repeated his earlier move, but was checked by Cessford and smothered by Lochlan. who was covering up well. This finished the Army attacks game of the season and for the touch-line, took play back to the Army line, the final whistle

The name was very ably were permised for lying on the empled on for the whole same balt, John Henderson kicked a lafter lieling injured in a collision

attack.

A Decree Nisi was granted at

he made remarkable saves and Club were not to be denied, how. Sir Leslie Cibson (Chief Justice), on several occasions had to clear ever, and oventually Franklin in favour of Mr. John Henry went over for a beautiful try Simmons of No. 1 Leighton Hill Road, Top Floor, who sued for a Ki Army now began to attack and dissolution of his marriage Tucker missed a difficult ponulty Mrs. Theresa (or Teresa) Sim-Mr. Simmons was represented by Mr. D. A. L. Wright, instructed distely followed by a quick break by Mr. F. Zimmern of Messrs, F. dimmern & Company.

A Christmas Party for th Second Kowloon Brownie Pack was given by Mrs. L. V. Jones, Brownle Owl, at St. Andrew's Church Hall yesterday, RAF :- Bartruin: Durham and On resumption, Club pagain Cames, compatitions, music, Gray: Connolly, Soutar and Oru- attacked, but Farquaharson miss- prizes and gittle from Santa Claus prizes had gifts from Santa Claus gon; Cross Butcher, Penton, Will ed with a penalty kick! however. Inc. K. Jones of Kowloon Docks)